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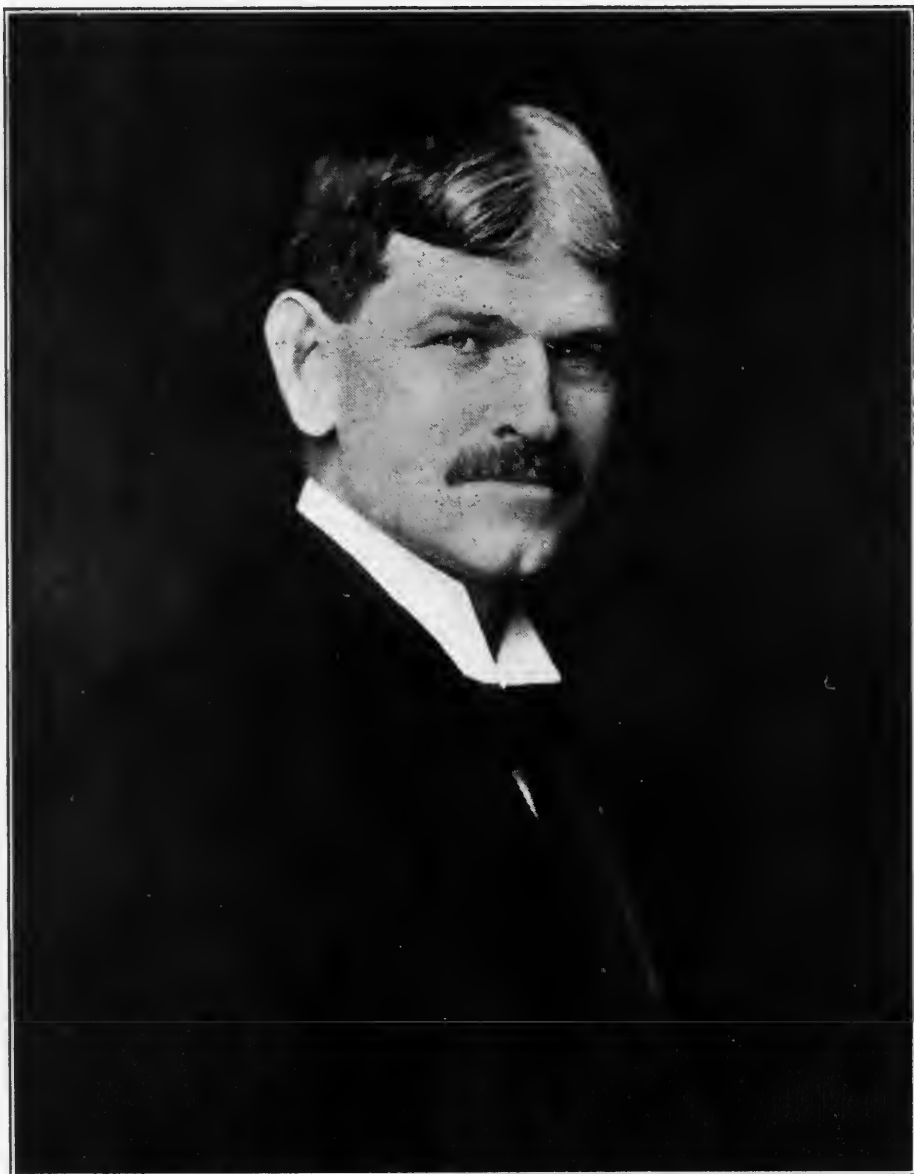


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Temperance—P. M. Conant, A. M. Smith, T. C. Kennedy, R. Collier, W. J. Hamilton.

Memoirs—T. J. Myers, B. G. Hankins, H. F. Gilbert, L. M. Grigsby.

Prorating—H. C. Druse, T. J. Petitt, C. E. Petitt, H. W. Munster.

College Banquet—C. L. Stafford, J. M. McClelland, J. H. Koch, Jesse Monkman, E. R. Bartlett.

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ASSIGNMENT OF STUDIES TO THE EXAMINERS.

ADMISSION ON TRIAL.

1. English Branches—H. W. Munster.
2. The Worker and His Bible—H. A. Ingham.
3. History and Exposition of the Twenty-Five Articles—W. H. Perdew.
4. Discipline—H. F. Gilbert.
5. Life of John Wesley—G. H. Hanawalt.
6. Organizing and Building the Sunday School—J. E. Newsom.
7. Written Sermon—W. A. Longnecker.

FIRST YEAR.

1. Jesus and the Gospels—J. A. Glendinning.
2. Preparation and Delivery of Sermons—H. F. Gilbert.
3. American History—J. F. Robertson.
4. Winning the Fight Against Drink—A. B. Cadwell.
5. Digest of Methodist Law—U. S. Smith.
6. English Style in Public Discourse—M. E. Reusch.
7. Written Sermon—W. A. Longnecker.

SECOND YEAR.

1. Biblical Hermeneutics—F. C. Edwards.
2. The Bible, Its Origin and Nature—George Blagg.
3. How We Think—H. A. Ingham.
4. The Graded School in Principle and Practice—A. B. Cadwell.
5. The Light of the World—J. C. Caughlan.
6. Decisive Hour of Christian Missions—F. B. Tucker.
7. In Pulpit and Parish—J. R. Hanley.
8. Essay—W. A. Longnecker.

THIRD YEAR.

1. System of Christian Doctrine, pages 1 to 322—F. B. Tucker.
2. History of the Christian Church—G. L. Minear.
3. The Fact of Conversion—G. H. Hanawalt.
4. Sacerdotalism in Nineteenth Century—J. A. Glendinning.
5. The New Basis of Civilization—J. F. Robertson.
6. Written Sermon—J. R. Hanley.

FOURTH YEAR.

1. System of Christian Doctrine, pages 325-635—F. C. Edwards
2. Theism—W. H. Perdue.
3. Christian Ethics—M. E. Reusch.
4. Principles of Literary Criticism—H. W. Munster.
5. Prophecy and the Prophets—G. L. Minear.
6. The Social Engineer—U. S. Smith.
7. Synopsis of the Psychology of the Christian Soul—George Blagg.

LOCAL COURSE REVIEW.

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| J. C. Caughlan, First Year. | J. R. Hanley, Third Year. |
| J. E. Newsom, Second Year. | H. F. Gilbert, Fourth Year. |

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| J. E. Newsom, | H. F. Gilbert. |

TIME OF EXAMINATIONS.

MID-YEAR.

All books for examination in the First, Second, Third and Fourth Years of the Course of Study.

CONFERENCE.

1. All books for "Admission on Trial."
2. All "Books to be Read" to be reported to the Registrar on blanks supplied by him.
3. All Sermons and Essays shall be in the hands of the examiner by August 1st.
4. "Books to be Read," giving electives; choice to be made by the reader.

RULES ADOPTED BY BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

CANDIDATES.

1. Each candidate for examination in the course of study, or for orders, shall pay to the Registrar a matriculation fee of \$1.00 per year, payable prior to examination.
2. Candidates, except those for Admission on Trial or for orders, are expected to take the examination as requested at the mid-year meeting.
3. No examination will be given except at the mid-year meeting, and at the seat of Conference.
4. Candidates who are examined at the Conference are required to present themselves on the day before Conference opens. The Discipline does not authorize any other day.
5. The time for holding the mid-year meeting shall be the third Tuesday in May, beginning at 9 a. m.

EXAMINERS.

1. Examiners will meet at the call of the Chairman at 8:00 a. m., on the day preceding the opening of the Conference.
2. The traveling expenses of the Examiners at the mid-year meeting are to be pro-rated.

ANNIVERSARIES AND SERVICES

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3D.

- 8:00 a. m.—Conference Examinations.
8:00 p. m.—Pilgrim's Progress Interpreted. Literary and Dramatic Recital.—Rev. W. H. Head, Dramatic Impersonator.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4TH.

- 9:00 a. m.—Conference Opens. Holy Communion, Bishop E. H. Hughes in charge.
9:45 a. m.—Roll Call and Organization.
10:00 a. m.—Memorial Services, R. L. Patterson presiding.
11:00 a. m.—Conference Business.
2:00 p. m.—Statistical Session. George Blagg and T. S. Pool in charge.
3:00 p. m.—Anniversary Woman's Home Missionary Society, Mrs. L. G. Murphy presiding.
Address, Miss Mary Blascho, Kansas City Training School.
7:30 p. m.—Literary and Dramatic Recital: Subject, "Job," —W. H. Head.
8:30 p. m.—Anniversary Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, H. F. Gilbert presiding.
Address, Rev. Henry J. Coker, D. D., Philadelphia, Penn.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH.

- 8:30 a. m.—Address on Evangelism, Bishop Edwin H. Hughes.
9:00 a. m.—Conference Business.
3:00 p. m.—Anniversary Board of Conference Claimants, J. C. Kendrick presiding.
Address, J. M. Brown, D. D., Keokuk, Iowa.
7:30 p. m.—Literary and Dramatic Recital. Subject, "Song of Solomon," W. H. Head.
8:30 p. m.—Anniversary Board of Foreign Missions.
Address, Bishop Frank W. Warne, Missionary Bishop for Southern Asia.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH.

- 8:30 a. m.—Address on Evangelism, Bishop Edwin H. Hughes.
9:00 a. m.—Conference Business.
11:00 a. m.—Jubilee Hour, Class of 1887 in charge.

2:30 p. m.—Anniversary Woman's Foreign Missionary Society,
Mrs. Ella Pichereau presiding.

Address, Dr. Agnes M. Edmonds, Chung King,
China.

5:00 p. m.—Iowa Wesleyan College Banquet.

8:00 p. m.—Anniversary Board of Education, Pres. E. A. Schell
presiding.

Address, Bishop E. H. Hughes.

Address, J. W. Hancher, D. D., Chicago.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH.

8:30 a. m.—Address on Evangelism. Bishop E. H. Hughes.

9:00 a. m.—Conference Business.

10:30 a. m.—Address Before the Class for Admission, Bishop E.
H. Hughes.

3:30 p. m.—Anniversary Methodist Brotherhood, F. C. Edwards
presiding.

Address, Orion W. Fifer, D. D., Des Moines.

7:30 p. m.—Anniversary Freedman's Aid, B. G. Hankins pre-
siding.

Address, I. Garland Penn, D. D., Secretary of Board,
Cincinnati.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH.

9:00 a. m.—Conference Love Feast, T. B. Hughes, D. D., in
in charge.

10:30 a. m.—Preaching Services. Conference Sermon, Bishop
Edwin Holt Hughes.

2:30 p. m.—Ordination of Deacons and Elders, Bishop E. H.
Hughes in charge.

3:30 p. m.—Grand Temperance Rally, C. S. Cooper presiding.
Address, Clarence True Wilson, D. D., Topeka,
Kansas, Secretary Temperance Society of Meth-
odist Episcopal Church.

7:00 p. m.—Anniversary Epworth League, M. E. Reusch pre-
siding.

Address, Dr. Dan. B. Brummit, Editor Epworth
Herald, Chicago.

8:30 p. m.—Anniversary Board of Sunday Schools, F. B. Tucker
presiding.

Address, L. O. Hartman, D. D., Columbus, O.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9TH.

8:30 a. m.—Devotional Half-Hour.

9:00 a. m.—Conference Business.

Reading Appointments of Ministers for year 1912-
13, Bishop E. H. Hughes.

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JOURNAL OF THE CONFERENCE

Proceedings of the Sixty-Ninth Session of the Iowa Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church

FIRST DAY

NEWTON, IOWA, Wednesday, Sept. 4th, 1912.

Opening.—The sixty-ninth session of the Iowa Annual Conference convened in the First Methodist Episcopal church, Newton, Iowa, Sept. 4th, 1912, Bishop Edwin H. Hughes, D. D., of San Francisco, Cal., presiding.

Sacrament.—After singing, the sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered by the Bishop, assisted by the District Superintendents and the pastor of the local church, Rev. W. H. Perdew, and a collection for the poor, to be devoted to Oriental work in San Francisco, was taken, amounting to \$19.26.

Roll Call.—The Secretary of the last Conference, W. A. Longnecker, called the roll, the following members being present: G. W. Barber, T. F. Barker, J. F. Barnett, J. C. Behrens, E. A. Bentzinger, S. F. Bishop, George Blagg, J. A. Boatman, H. F. Bohn, E. C. Brooks, H. M. Burns, H. E. Butler, A. B. Cadwell, H. W. Cannon, J. W. Carson, J. C. Caughlan, C. W. Cochran, C. E. Coggshall, Richard Collier, P. M. Conant, C. S. Cooper, A. N. Courtney, M. D. Cox, E. S. Daly, J. S. Decker, W. H. Dillon, H. C. Druse, F. C. Edwards, C. A. Field, George Filmer, W. J. Fowler, W. S. Gardner, H. F. Gilbert, J. A. Glendinning, W. J. Hamilton, Elias Handy, B. G. Hankins, C. B. Hankins, J. R. Hanley, G. H. Hanawalt, E. S. Hehner, J. P. Hehner, A. B. Hightshoe, T. B. Hughes, H. A. Ingham, W. B. Ireland, T. W. Jeffrey, J. C. Kendrick, T. C. Kennedy, J. H. Koch, J. H. Krenmyre, J. W. Lambert, W. A. Longnecker, E. E. Lymer, O. E. McBride, J. M. McClelland, H. C. Millice, G. L. Minear, J. A. Monkman, W. S. Moore, T. J. Myers, J. E. Newsom, O. G. Orcutt, Thomas Osborn, R. L. Patterson, W. H. Perdew, C. E. Pettit, T. J. Pettit, F. E. Pfoutz, David Phillips, R. V. Pike, T. S. Pool, James Priestnal, M. E. Reusch, R. T. Richards, Thomas Rowe, R. C. Russell, E. C. Sandmeyer, E. A. Schell, H. B. Scoles, W. J. Scott, F. S.

Seeds, E. J. Shook, H. N. Smith, A. M. Smith, U. S. Smith, W. A. Smith, F. A. Smith, C. L. Stafford, J. W. Stine, W. P. Stoddard, N. A. Swickard, C. L. Tennant, Lloyd Tennant, W. G. Thorn, J. E. Ward, E. H. Waring, C. R. Zimmerman.—97.

Probationers—A. H. Barker, E. R. Bartlett, C. G. Ellis, A. D. Huff, C. C. Jones, L. C. Moore, W. A. Odell, W. J. Phillips, C. L. Rubottom, E. W. Stodghill, J. A. Wilson, William Zabilka.—12.

Organization.—W. A. Longnecker moved that the Secretary, Statistical Secretary and the Treasurer be elected by ballot; that three names be placed on the ballot, in the order named. The following tellers were appointed and the ballot was taken: C. R. Zimmerman, J. R. Hanley, Lloyd Tennant.

Introduced.—Elbert Robb Zaring, D. D., editor of the North-Western Christian Advocate, was introduced by Bishop Hughes and addressed the Conference.

Report of Tellers.—The Bishop read the teller's report of the election as follows: Secretary, W. A. Longnecker; Statistical Secretary, George Blagg; Treasurer, T. S. Pool.

Assistants.—The Conference officers nominated assistants as follows: Secretaries, M. E. Reusch, F. C. Edwards and G. L. Minear; Statistical Secretaries, H. C. Druse, E. S. Hehner, H. E. Butler, F. E. Pfoutz and J. H. Krenmyre; Treasurers, J. W. Pool, E. W. Stodghill, E. R. Bartlett, A. H. Barker, and the nominations were confirmed by the Conference.

Election.—On motion of W. H. Perdew, Lloyd Tennant was elected postmaster and H. C. Millice conference reporter.

Bar.—On motion of R. L. Patterson the bar of the Conference was fixed to include seven rows of pews, and the program as printed was adopted.

Standing Committees.—The Standing Committees as nominated by the District Superintendents were read, amended and elected as follows:

All Missions—H. F. Gilbert, L. M. Grigsby, J. W. Pool, G. H. Hanawalt, J. A. Glendinning, David Phillips, J. E. Newsum.

Benevolences Other Than Missions.—B. G. Hankins, F. B. Tucker, W. S. Gardner, U. S. Smith, W. S. Moore, O. E. McBride, J. F. Barnett, C. W. Cochran.

Education—W. H. Perdew, G. L. Minear, A. B. Hightshoe, J. S. Decker, T. S. Pool, U. S. Smith, Thomas Osborn, H. A. Ingham, J. W. Hancher.

Local Preachers' Addresses—N. A. Swickard, George Filmer, N. A. Orcutt, W. J. Phillips.

Conference Relations.—F. C. Edwards, Elias Handy, A. W. McBlain, T. F. Barker, A. B. Cadwell, T. W. Jeffrey, J. W. Lambert, Eugene Allen.

Epworth League—R. L. Patterson, M. E. Reusch, C. B. Hankins, M. A. Banker, O. J. Fix, O. G. Orcutt, J. F. Robertson.

Evangelism—J. A. Monkman, W. H. Dillon, J. C. Caughlan, C. E. Baumgarten, C. E. Pettit, R. C. Russell, E. C. Sandmeyer, C. Cray Jones.

Public Worship—C. L. Stafford, W. H. Perdew.

Privileges and Resolutions—J. M. McClelland, Thos. Rowe, J. H. Koch, H. C. Millice, E. C. Brooks, J. W. Carson, J. P. Hehner.

Temperance—P. M. Conant, A. M. Smith, T. C. Kennedy, R. Collier, W. J. Hamilton, E. A. Bentzinger, H. E. Butler, Fred A. Smith.

Memoirs—R. L. Patterson, W. S. Gardner, P. M. Conant, Elias Handy.

Appointment.—The Bishop appointed T. J. Myers to preside at the afternoon session for the reception of reports.

Memorial Service.—At 10:30 Bishop Hughes called R. L. Patterson, the chairman of the Committee on Memoirs, to the platform to take charge of the memorial service. After prayer by the chairman, hymn 597 was sung. W. G. Thorn then offered prayer, after which Miss Suzanne Gardner of Wellman, sang "Crossing the Bar." W. S. Gardner read portions of Revelations 21 and 22. The chairman announced the following deaths during the year: Rev. John Potter, Newton, Iowa; Mrs. Craig, widow of Jesse Craig, Reno, Nev., and Mrs. Hill, widow of J. B. Hill, Agency, Iowa. Elias Handy spoke from Rev. 21:26, concluding with prayer, after which hymn 628 was sung.

Resolution.—On motion of E. A. Schell the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the Iowa Conference, for the first time officially assigned to the territory of the North-West-

ern Christian Advocate, expresses its pleasure at the presence of E. Robb Zaring, editor of the North-Western, at our Conference session. We have greatly appreciated his address on the work committed to him by the church, and pledge him our hearty co-operation in an earnest attempt to double the circulation of our official paper.

Special Committee.—On motion of Thomas Osborn the Board of Examiners was constituted a special committee for the following purpose: It is ordered that all the members of the Conference classes, including candidates for admission on trial and for local orders, be referred for all purposes of examination, not only in the Disciplinary studies but in questions of personal fitness for the ministry, to the Board of Conference Examiners, and that only such cases be referred to the committee on Conference Relations as may from time to time be especially sent to such committee by vote of the Conference. It is also ordered that the Conference delegate authority to the Board of Examiners to accept substitutions as allowed by the Discipline.

Deaconesses.—J. E. Newsom moved that pastors having deaconesses employed in their charges be requested to file with the Deaconess Board the name of said deaconess and the cost to the charge for her support, and that said Board be instructed to include the data in their report to be printed in the Conference Minutes.

Introduced.—H. J. Coker, D. D., Field Secretary of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

The Bishop introduced the following men transferred to this Conference: W. H. Neil from the North-West Kansas, J. M. Brown from the Dakota, E. C. Sandmeyer from the St. Louis, and the following visiting brethren: A. S. Lovall, Dakota; O. J. Truitt, Burmah Mission; S. P. Craver of South America.

Excused.—H. A. Ingham was excused on Thursday on account of a funeral.

Iowa Wesleyan College.—E. A. Schell read his report as President of Iowa Wesleyan College and on his request it was ordered printed in the body of the Journal, and special parts requiring further action were referred to the Committee on Education.

REPORT OF IOWA WESLEYAN COLLEGE TO IOWA CONFERENCE.

DEAR FATHERS AND BRETHREN—

Iowa Wesleyan College makes grateful acknowledgment to the Iowa Conference for its interest, sympathy and support. During the year one hundred and ninety-one have been registered in the College of Liberal Arts, and one hundred and forty-four in the other departments. The details necessary to the change of the name have been complied with, an expert accountant has gone carefully over our books and accounts, and the first one hundred thousand dollars of the Seventieth Year Endowment has been completed. We submit herewith a statement of the resources and liabilities of the corporation July 1, 1912:

RESOURCES.

Buildings and Grounds.....	\$198,000 00
Museum.....	\$15,000 00
Library.....	10,000 00
Laboratories and Apparatus.....	4,500 00
Furniture, including Heating Plant...	18,000 00
	<u>\$ 47,500 00</u>
General Endowment—	
Mortgages.....	\$49,323 96
Notes.....	4,593 34
Cash.....	2,408 56
	<u>\$ 56,325 86</u>
Carnegie Endowment.....	100,825 00
Seventieth Year—	
Property and Cash.....	\$47,500 00
Notes and Bonds.....	32,050 00
Subscriptions (maturing one-fifth each year).....	20,450 00
	<u>\$100,000 00</u>
	<u>257,150 86</u>
	<u>\$502,650 86</u>
Indebtedness.....	49,554 00
Net Worth.....	<u>\$453,096 86</u>

The above takes no account of five thousand dollars still due on the heating plant, three thousand five hundred of which is subscribed.

We submit that the resources of the College ought to be increased by another quarter of a million at as early a date as pos-

sible and we ask the Conference to approve the Forward Movement authorized by the Board of Trustees for this amount.

We pray the Iowa Conference to seriously consider the increase of the Conference Collection for the support of the College. The Emergency Fund amounting to about five thousand dollars annually, is exhausted. While the annual deficiency this year is less than during any year of the present administration, still any deficiency is a serious matter. There are improvements and repairs in the plant that are absolutely necessary. No money which the Conference contributes by way of benevolences is so immediately productive of religious character and power as that given to the College. If the Conference could put the College on the same basis as missions, and for the next few years direct the normal increase of benevolences to the College, it would permit the College to run on its present budget without a deficiency and give opportunity for some meager repairs and improvements.

Permit me to record our high appreciation of the valued services of H. N. Smith as Assistant to the President, and request the Conference to continue him in this work.

Dean Elmer E. Lymer needs no mention at my hands. His religious spirit, teaching ability and knowledge of every detail of administration make his presence in the faculty a constant value and pleasure. No one can take his place. Like words, expressing the friendship, sympathy and service of Dr. T. J. Myers are justly due. He is held in the highest esteem by us all.

Respectfully submitted,

E. A. SCHELL.

Remarks.—Bishop Hughes spoke briefly regarding his past relation to the Conference and his hope for the spirit and character of the present session.

Adjournment.—Announcements were made and the benediction pronounced by E. H. Waring.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 1:30 an informal session was held under the direction of T. J. Myers, that the Treasurer and the Statistical Secretary might receive the reports.

SECOND DAY

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5th, 1912.

The Conference convened at 8:30 a. m. Bishop Hughes gave an address on "Evangelism on the Godward Side."

Journal.—The minutes of the previous day were read and approved.

Roll.—The roll of absentees was called and twenty members and two probationers responded.

Fourteenth Question.—The fourteenth question was taken up and the names of the following District Superintendents were called, their characters passed, and they read their reports: C. L. Tennant, Burlington District; J. A. Boatman, Muscatine District; C. L. Stafford, Oskaloosa District, and E. J. Shook, Ottumwa District.

Reports.—On motion of R. L. Patterson it was ordered that pastors report the collections for Missions, I. W. C. and Conference Claimants, and whether all claims were presented.

Introduced.—Bishop F. W. Warne of India was introduced and invited to a seat on the platform.

Reports.—The Bishop called the names of the following preachers in charge, their characters were passed, and they made their reports: O. J. Fix, E. A. Bentzinger, J. W. Lambert, H. M. Burns, Thomas Osborn, W. B. Ireland, David Phillips, M. A. Banker, J. M. Brown, R. C. Russell, W. S. Gardner, George Blagg, J. F. Barnett, E. S. Hehner, J. W. Carson, S. F. Bishop, W. A. Longnecker, J. A. Glendinning, A. W. McBlain, N. A. Swickard, W. S. Moore, H. B. Scoles, R. T. Richards, T. F. Barker, J. P. Hehner, C. R. Zimmerman, C. L. Jordan, L. M. Grigsby, H. W. Munster, H. E. Butler, W. J. Scott, W. E. Berg, E. C. Brooks, U. S. Smith, R. L. Patterson, M. E. Reusch, C. E. Baumgarten, W. H. Dillon, H. F. Bohn, F. C. Edwards, Richard Collier, George Filmer, Elias Handy, C. B. Hankins, H. C. Millice, J. A. Monkman, W. A. Smith, H. F. Gilbert, W. H. Perdew, J. M. McClelland, J. C. Caughlan, F. S. Seeds, F. B. Tucker, O. E. McBride, L. G. Rorhbaugh, B. G. Hankins, W. H. Neil, James Priestnal, J. E. Newsom, C. E. Coggshall, Lloyd Tennant, J. R. Hanley, G. W. Barber, L. G. Cummins, C. A. Field, J. H. Koch, O. G. Orcutt, P. M. Conant, A. M.

Smith, A. B. Hightshoe, T. W. Jeffrey, A. B. Cadwell, J. E. Robertson, J. E. Ward, T. K. Holliday, J. S. Decker.

Referred.—On motion of their District Superintendent the following were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations: J. H. Taylor, F. W. Carwell, L. R. Burdock and A. T. James.

Question Nineteen.—Question nineteen was taken up. C. L. Tennant presented the credentials of C. W. Wilson and on his motion he was permitted to withdraw from the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal church, and to hold his church membership in the New London church.

Dividends.—Bishop Hughes reported drafts as follows: Chartered Fund \$30.00; from the Book Concern \$2260.00, and \$350.00 from the Board of Conference Claimants, which were passed to the Conference Treasurer.

J. C. Kendrick reported dividends from the Iowa Conference Permanent Fund, \$1000.00.

Question Twenty-Three.—Question twenty-three was taken up and on motion of J. A. Boatman, P. H. Hawk was referred to the following Committee of Inquiry appointed by the Bishop: U. S. Smith, J. A. Glendinning, P. M. Conant, J. M. McClelland and J. M. Brown.

Introduced.—The Bishop introduced the following: W. W. Carleton, District Superintendent Upper Iowa Conference; L. G. Rorhbaugh, transferred from South-West Kansas Conference; C. W. Shaw, formerly of the Iowa Conference, now of Colorado.

Motion.—On motion of C. L. Tennant, J. W. Hancher was added to the Committee on Education.

On motion of E. A. Schell, the Secretaries of the District Conferences were constituted a Committee on District Conference Records.

On motion of A. B. Hightshoe, the District Superintendents appointed the following Committee on Prorating: T. J. Pettit, W. S. Moore, H. F. Gilbert and C. C. Jones.

Question Fourteen.—Question fourteen was resumed and the names of the following brethren in detached service were called and their characters passed: E. A. Schell, E. E. Lymer, J. W.

Hancher, T. J. Myers, H. N. Smith, W. P. Stoddard, J. C. Kendrick, U. B. Smith, W. H. Jones, C. S. Cooper, J. B. Eyestone, R. D. Pool, Latham Ingham, Richard Breeden, D. R. Martin.

Address.—Bishop F. W. Warne addressed the Conference on the financial affairs of the Board of Foreign Missions.

Adjournment.—Announcements were made and the benediction was pronounced by Bishop Warne.

THIRD DAY

FRIDAY, September 6th, 1912.

The Conference convened at 8:30 a. m., and Bishop Hughes delivered an address on the subject, "Varieties of Christian Experience."

Journal.—The minutes of the preceding session were read and approved.

Question Eight.—Question eight was called, and the following men reported their collections, were represented by their District Superintendent and the Registrar, and on motion of the latter were elected to deacon's orders, passed to the studies of the third year, and elected to full membership in the Conference; Edward W. Stodghill, James A. Wilson, Alfred H. Barker.

Alva D. Huff was continued in the studies of the second year. William E. Overturf was discontinued at his own request, and the Secretary was instructed to return his credentials.

Order of the Day.—On motion of H. C. Millice the consideration of question thirty-two was made the order of the day immediately after the reading of the Journal, Saturday morning.

On motion of J. W. Hancher the report of Committee on Education was made the order of the day for 9:00 on Saturday.

Committee.—On motion of C. L. Tennant the Cabinet was requested to nominate a committee of five to carry out the provisions of paragraph six, section 544 of the Discipline.

Board of Examiners.—The Bishop appointed the following Board of Examiners for the ensuing four years: Thomas Osborn, H. B. Scoles, G. H. Hanawalt, W. H. Perdew, H. W. Munster,

F. B. Tucker, J. R. Hanley, M. E. Reusch, W. A. Longnecker, G. L. Minear, George Blagg, J. E. Newsom, H. A. Ingham, J. A. Glendinning, J. C. Caughlan, J. F. Robertson, Elias Handy, U. S. Smith, F. C. Edwards, H. F. Gilbert.

Report.—Elias Handy read the report of the Inter-Conference Commission and on motion of Thomas Osborn, consideration of the report was deferred till after the report of the Committee on Education.

Excused.—George P. Badgley made his report and was excused on account of a funeral. Eugene Allen was also excused.

Sale.—J. A. Boatman reported the sale of the Summit church on the Koszta circuit for \$60.00 and that the proceeds had been turned over to the Treasurer of the Board of Stewards.

Privilege.—On a question of privilege E. H. Waring stated that he has yet 200 copies of his History of the Iowa Conference which he offers for sale at \$1.00 each, postage 15 cents extra.

Introduced.—Rev. J. R. Woodcock, D. D., President Bidwell Deaconess Home and Iowa Bible Training School, Des Moines, Iowa, and C. B. Spencer, D. D., Editor of the Central Christian Advocate, Kansas City, Mo., were introduced by the Bishop and addressed the Conference.

Question Twenty-Four.—The names of the following retired ministers were called and their characters passed: G. W. Byrkit, W. R. Stryker, J. S. Ferguson, H. Runyon, W. G. Wilson, J. C. W. Coxe, A. V. Kendrick, J. E. Corley, L. A. Crull, D. C. Smith, A. W. Haines, J. G. Barton, J. H. Armacost, J. W. Fraker, J. M. Coates, W. N. Hall, W. A. Phelps, John Davis, C. R. Norton, W. N. Groom, D. C. Bevan; also the following who addressed the Conference, E. H. Waring, H. F. Pugh, T. B. Hughes, I. N. Busby, C. H. Montgomery, and they were continued in the same relation.

Resolution.—Dr. E. A. Schell presented the following resolution which was adopted: Resolved, That though we are no longer officially related to the Central Christian Advocate, its tone, spirit, and mirroring of Methodist sentiment is so helpful and interesting that we cannot refrain from expressing our appreciation of its work, and renew our pressing invitation to C. B. Spencer, D. D., its Editor, to return annually to visit our Conference.

Order of Day.—At eleven o'clock the order of the day was called for and Elias Handy moved that the Bishop be requested to invite W. H. Jones of the entering class of '87 to preside.

Chairman Jones called to the platform T. S. Pool, E. A. Schell and C. L. Stafford, while Rev. and Mrs. T. B. Hughes, father and mother of Bishop Edwin H. Hughes, and Mrs. Edwin H. Hughes were escorted to the platform by Elias Handy.

T. S. Pool, a Conference classmate of Bishop Hughes, spoke historically and biographically of the class of '87 of which Bishop Hughes was a member. He was followed by E. A. Schell, who represented the general interest of the church in this 25th anniversary occasion. C. L. Stafford spoke for the Conference, concluding his address with the presentation to Bishop Hughes of a solid silver loving cup, inscribed as follows:

1887 Newton, Iowa 1912
Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes
From the
Iowa Annual Conference
on the
Twenty-Fifth Anniversary
of his admission into
the itinerancy of the
Methodist Episcopal Church

Bishop Hughes responded most fittingly in an address, forceful, tender and appreciative, acknowledging his lasting indebtedness to his first two Presiding Elders, Drs. C. L. Stafford and Dennis Murphy, paying just tribute to his father and mother and expressing his deep interest in, and love for the Conference in which his ministry commenced.

At the call of the Chairman, the Bishop's father, Rev. T. B. Hughes of Grinnell spoke briefly.

Adjournment.—Announcements were made and the Conference stood adjourned.

FOURTH DAY

SATURDAY, September 7th, 1912.

The Conference convened at 8:30 a. m. Bishop Hughes addressed the Conference on "The Present Coming of Christ."

Journal.—The minutes of the preceding session were read and approved.

Resolution.—E. H. Waring offered the following resolution which was adopted: Resolved, That the Chair appoint a committee of two members of the Conference to convey to the Laymen's Association of the Iowa Conference the good will of the Conference. The Bishop appointed the following committee: H. F. Gilbert and H. A. Ingham.

Entertainment.—On motion of J. W. Hancher the Conference adopted the Harvard Plan of Entertainment for next year, and asked the appointment of a committee of three to confer with a like committee of the Laymen's Association to formulate a permanent plan, this committee to report not later than Monday. Bishop Hughes appointed the committee as follows: U. S. Smith, W. S. Gardner and Richard Collier.

Deferred.—On motion of H. F. Gilbert the consideration of question thirty-two was postponed till 10:00 a. m. Monday.

Order of Day.—The report of the Committee on Education was read by J. W. Hancher, and on his motion was adopted. See reports.

Committee.—C. L. Tennant reported the appointment by the Cabinet of the following Committee on Non-Connectional Causes, (Discipline 544-6): H. A. Ingham, C. R. Zimmerman, T. W. Jeffrey, J. M. McClelland, E. E. Lymer.

Resolution.—On motion of C. L. Tennant the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, First—That the treasurer of the Board of Trustees of the Iowa Conference be and is hereby instructed to secure the money from the sale of the Rome Methodist Episcopal church. Second—We request the Board of Trustees of the Iowa Conference to loan the Trustees of the Kingston Methodist Episcopal church an amount not to exceed the amount of money received from the sale of the Rome church, said loan to be made on good security and for a length of time not to exceed the unexpired time of the five year limit of sale of the Rome church.

Report.—J. C. Kendrick read the report of Chris Haw, Treasurer of the Permanent Fund. The report was accepted and ordered printed in the Conference Journal. See reports.

Resolution.—On motion of E. H. Waring the following resolution was adopted: Whereas, The Des Moines Annual Conference has proposed the establishment of an Iowa State Historical Society at Des Moines, and has asked the co-operation of the other Conferences in the State; therefore, resolved, that the president appoint a commission of four members of the Conference to confer with representatives of the other Methodist Conferences of the State.

Report.—The consideration of the report of the Inter-Conference Commission was resumed. The report was amended in the last paragraph, and adopted. See reports.

Question Eight.—Question eight was resumed, and George Albert Osborne, a probationer in the second year's study, transferred from the Michigan Conference after representation by his District Superintendent and the Registrar, was elected to Deacon's orders, passed to the third year of the course, and elected to membership in the Conference.

Gordon Dale Cox after representation by his District Superintendent and the Registrar, was elected to Deacon's orders, advanced to the studies of the third year, and elected to membership in the Conference.

The following members of the class for admission were called forward, answered the Disciplinary questions, were addressed by the Bishop, and admitted into full membership: Alfred Herbert Barker, Gordon Dale Cox, George Albert Osborne, Edward Walker Stodghill, James Alen Wilson.

Report.—The Committee on Inquiry in case of P. H. Hawk, reported unanimously recommending that he be continued in the Supernumerary relation, and the report was adopted.

Introduced.—I. Garland Penn, Corresponding Secretary of the Freedmen's Aid Society, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Clarence True Wilson, General Secretary of the church Temperance Society, was introduced.

Adjournment.—On motion of J. M. McClelland it was ordered that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet at 1:30 p. m.

Announcements were made and on motion of E. J. Shook, the Conference adjourned with the benediction by E. S. Daly.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The afternoon session was called to order at 1:30 by Bishop Hughes and prayer was offered by W. P. Stoddard.

Question Twelve.—What others have been elected and ordained deacons? Ernest G. Rankin, a local preacher, having been recommended by the Oskaloosa District, and represented by the Registrar, was elected to deacon's orders.

Question Thirteen.—Question thirteen was called and answered in the negative throughout.

Question Eleven.—Question eleven was called. What members have completed the Conference Course of Study? The names of the following men were called; Frank Emery Pfoutz, Jacob Wesley Stine, Frederick Alexander Smith. Their characters were passed, they reported their collections, were represented by the Registrar, elected to elder's orders and discharged from the course of study.

H. C. Druse, previously ordained, reported his collections, was represented by the Registrar, and discharged from the course of study.

Rufus Vernon Pike reported his collections, was represented by the Registrar, advanced to the studies of the fourth year, discharged from the course of study, and elected to elder's orders.

William J. Hamilton and George P. Badgley were represented by the Registrar and placed in the studies of the fourth year, each conditioned on one study in the third year.

Question Five.—Who have been received on trial? The following men, A. A. Heath, Leslie A. Moore, Russell G. Nye, Clarence R. Young, Henry M. Strong and William H. Slack were represented by their District Superintendent and the Registrar, and on motion of the latter were admitted on trial and placed in the studies of the first year.

Introduced.—The Bishop introduced the following: E. T. Gruell, District Superintendent, of the Upper Iowa Conference; Dr. Agnes M. Edmonds of China; L. K. Billingsley, O. W. Fifer and George A. Scott of the Des Moines Conference, and P. H. McBeth of the Black Hills Mission.

Report.—The report of the joint committee with the Laymen's Association was read and adopted. See reports.

Question Four.—Question four was called and answered in the negative.

Question Sixteen.—Who have died? John Potter.

Question Seventeen.—Who have been located at their own request? A. T. James and J. H. Taylor.

Question Eighteen.—Question eighteen was called and answered in the negative.

Question Nineteen.—Who have withdrawn? Charles W. Wilson, from ministry, not from membership.

Question Twenty.—Question twenty was called and answered in the negative.

Question Twenty-One.—Question twenty-one was called and answered in the negative.

Question Twenty-Two.—Question twenty-two was called and answered in the negative.

The Bishop withdrew with the Cabinet and appointed J. W. Hancher to preside.

Reports.—R. L. Patterson read the report of the Committee on Epworth League which was adopted. See reports.

The Secretary read the report of the Book Committee of the Methodist Episcopal church, which was accepted.

Address.—Clarence True Wilson, General Secretary of the church Temperance Society, addressed the Conference.

Adjournment.—On motion of H. C. Millice, Conference adjourned with the benediction by E. H. Waring.

FIFTH DAY

MONDAY, September 9th, 1912.

The Conference was called to order by Bishop Hughes at 9:00 a. m.

Journal.—The minutes of Saturday were read and approved.

Relation Changed.—On motion of E. H. Waring the rule of the Conference was suspended and the relation of the following

men was changed as indicated: E. S. Daly from Supernumerary to that of Retired Minister. E. Madrigal M. from effective to Supernumerary. Richard Breeden from effective to that of Retired Minister.

On recommendation of the Committee on Conference Relation, L. R. Burdock and F. W. Carwell were changed from effective to Supernumerary.

Privilege.—E. C. Brooks read a letter of greeting from M. S. Hughes of Pasadena, California, addressed to Rev. W. H. Per dew.

The greetings of Bishop W. F. McDowell were borne to the Conference by Bishop Hughes, and the greetings of C. N. Pace of St. Paul, Minn., by the Secretary.

Stewards and Trustees.—C. L. Tennant reported the following nominations by the Cabinet for membership on the Board of Stewards and Trustees: C. R. Zimmerman, Chris Haw and J. M. McClelland which nominations were approved by the Conference.

Report.—The report of the Hospital visitors was read; also a resolution on Iowa Methodist Hospital. W. T. Graham, M. D., Superintendent of the hospital, was introduced and addressed the Conference, after which the report and resolution were adopted.

Order of the Day.—Question thirty-two was taken up. Where shall the next Conference be held? The invitation from the Central Methodist Episcopal church of Oskaloosa, given by the pastor, J. M. McClelland, was accepted by the Conference on motion of U. S. Smith.

Collection.—The secretary reported expenses of himself, business manager, treasurer, statistical secretary, and postmaster amounting to \$20.25, and on motion of H. C. Millice a collection was taken, amounting to \$19.35.

Motions.—On motion of J. R. Hanley it was ordered: 1st—The Secretaries are authorized to edit and publish the Conference minutes.

2d—That 2650 copies of the Journal be printed, to be sold at 15c each, with a discount of 20 per cent. if paid within thirty days after publication, the distribution of the Journal to be on the basis of one copy for every fifteen members and probationers.

The Bishop and Cabinet retired to complete their work, with H. A. Ingham, by appointment of Bishop Hughes, presiding.

On motion of the Secretary the following was ordered: 1st—In charges served by supplies, that no Journals be sent except on cash order. 2d—That the Conference Journal as approved from day to day constitute the official record of the Conference.

Introduced.—L. O. Hartman, D. D., Ohio State Superintendent of the Board of Sunday Schools, of Columbus, Ohio, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

S. P. Craver, missionary in South America, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Reports.—The following reports were adopted: The report of H. B. Scoles, Secretary of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension; of F. C. Edwards, Business Manager of the Publishing Board; of H. C. Millice for the Committee on District Conference Records. See reports.

Resolution.—On motion of C. R. Zimmerman the following resolution were adopted: Resolved, 1---That bringing the name of a retired minister or the widow or orphan of a deceased minister, to the attention of the Conference in session assembled shall constitute an opportunity to be heard as provided in Par. 323 of the Discipline. 2---That the action of the Board of Stewards in the distribution of the Claimants Fund shall be final as provided in Par. 329 of the Discipline.

Reports.—C. R. Zimmerman read the report of the Board of Stewards, which on motion of T. J. Myers was adopted.

R. L. Patterson read the report of the Conference Board of Deaconessess, which on his motion was adopted.

W. J. Hamilton read the report of the Committee on Temperance, which on his motion was adopted.

The report of J. C. Kendrick, Financial Secretary of the Iowa Conference Permanent Fund, was read by the Secretary, and on his motion was adopted.

Report of the Committee on Local Preachers addresses, filed with the Secretary, was accepted without reading. See reports.

The Statistical Secretary, George Blagg, and the Treasurer, Thomas Pool, read their reports and on motion they were adopted.

Resolution.—On motion of E. C. Brooks the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That we, the members of the Iowa Conference, remember with pleasurable emotions the brotherly spirit and great administrative ability of our brother, Bishop William F. McDowell, and it has given us great pleasure this morning to receive his words of greeting sent us through Bishop Hughes, and we hereby request Bishop Hughes to return to him our greetings, assuring him of the continuance of our brotherly love and esteem. We also acknowledge the receipt of the brotherly letter addressed to our Conference host, W. H. Perdew, from our brother, Matt S. Hughes. We still feel that although gone out from us he is still one of us. We request Brother Perdew in acknowledging the letter to assure Brother Hughes of our continued affection, and of our rejoicing in all the prosperity which God has given him.

On motion of J. A. Boatman the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That in case the Bishops shall decide that any money realized from the sale of the church and parsonage at Blue Grass, Iowa, should according to the law of the church be turned over to our society at Buffalo, Iowa, the Conference Trustees be instructed to remit such amount to the proper officers of the church at Buffalo.

Nominations.—The nominations made by the Committee on Education to constitute the Conference Board of Education were elected. See Conference Boards.

Collection.—On motion of H. F. Gilbert a silver offering amounting to \$12.70 was taken for the janitor of the church.

Nominations.—C. L. Tennant reported the nominations of the various Boards and on his motion they were approved. See Conference Boards.

Committee.—On nomination of the District Superintendents the following were constituted a committee on Iowa State Historical Society: H. B. Scoles, Thos. Osborn, W. H. Perdew, A. B. Cadwell.

Reports.—Reports of the following committees were adopted: All Missions, read by J. E. Newsom; Evangelism, read by J. A. Monkman; and Non-Connectional Interests, read by J. M. McClelland. See reports.

Motion.—On motion of Elias Handy it was ordered that with

funds in the hands of the Jubilee Committee pictures of the Conference be sent to T. B. Hughes and G. W. Byrkit.

Question Six.—Question six was taken up. Who have been continued on trial? a---In the studies of the first year: Wm. A. Odell, Lacey C. Moore, E. Madrigal M. b---C. L. Rubottom, W. J. Phillips, William Zabilka, E. R. Bartlett, C. Cray Jones, Clarence V. Hulse, C. G. Ellis.

Question Nine.—Question nine was taken up. What members are in the studies of the third year? The following were continued in the studies of the third year: Harry M. Burns, Thomas J. Pettit, Charles E. Pettit, Jerry H. Krenmyre.

The following were passed to the studies of the fourth year: W. J. Fowler, Albert N. Courtney, Thomas C. Kennedy and E. C. Sandmeyer.

Question One.—Question one was asked and answered in the affirmative.

Question Twenty-Three.—Question twenty-three was asked. Who are the Supernumerary preachers? The following were continued in this relation: W. N. Potter, G. M. Tuttle, E. E. Doud, W. G. Thorn, I. O. Kemble, P. H. Hawk.

Question Twenty-Five.—Who are the Triers of Appeals? The same board was continued.

For questions 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30, see Disciplinary questions.

Motion.—On motion of Thos. Osborne the Committee on Prorating was given permission to file their report with the Secretary.

Resolution.—The Committee on Resolutions made the following report which was adopted, the third resolution by a rising vote:

Resolved, 1st---That we hereby express to the members and friends of the Methodist Episcopal church of Newton, the Rev. W. H. Perdew, pastor, and to the members of other churches assisting in the entertaining of the Conference, our most hearty appreciation of their generous hospitality, christian courtesy and unflinching kindness.

That we extend to the ladies of the church our sincere thanks for the excellent meals served and acknowledge our indebtedness to the choir of this church for the pleasure which they have afforded the members of this Conference.

Resolved, 2d---That the Iowa Conference expresses its unqualified approval of the service rendered the cause of temperance and the Kingdom of Christ by our brother beloved, fearless champion of a saloonless nation, the Rev. C. S. Cooper, District Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, and assure him of our united prayers, hearty sympathy and co-operation in the bitter conflict in which with gallant spirit and unfailing courage, he has carried our standard so far to the front. We express further our very great pleasure in the visit to our Conference and in the stirring messages of the representatives of the connectional interests of the church, making special mention of the presence and address of Bishop Frank W. Warne of India.

Resolved, 3d--It is with peculiar pleasure that the Iowa Conference places on record its high appreciation of the presence of its presiding officer, Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes. His former relation to the Conference, the sincere gratification afforded us by his eminent success in each position to which he has been called, his election to the Episcopacy, his frank, tactful and brotherly direction of the affairs of the Conference, his able sermons, wise and practical and inspiring addresses, and the distinguished honor accruing to the Conference from the presence of Mrs. Hughes, wife of the Bishop, Dr. T. B. Hughes and wife, father and mother of the presiding Bishop, all combine to make this session unique and memorable. We assure Bishop Hughes of our prayers for the continued blessing of our Heavenly Father upon him and his work; and of the warm and hearty welcome that awaits him in the future should the appointing power direct him again to the presidency of the Iowa Conference.

Adjournment.—On motion of T. J. Myers it was ordered that after the reading of the Journal and of the appointments, the annual Conference stand adjourned without date.

Journal.—The minutes were read, corrected and approved.

Bishop Hughes addressed the Conference briefly, read the appointments and concluded the session with prayer.

Edwin H. Hughes.

Presiding. ■

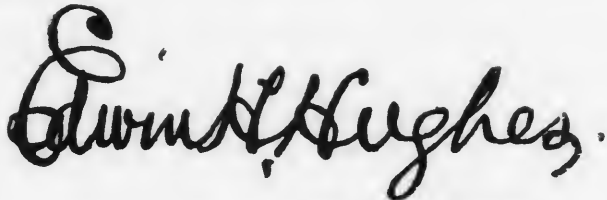
H. A. Longuecker.

Secretary.

Certificate of Ordination

This is to Certify that on the 8th day of September, A. D. 1912, I ordained, after election by the Iowa Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, the following as Deacons: Alfred Herbert Barker, Gordon Dale Cox, Edward Walker Stodghill, James Allen Wilson, George Albert Osborne, Ernest O. Rankin; and at the same time and place, assisted by Elders, I ordained the following Elders: Frank Emery Pfoutz, Jacob Wesley Stine, Frederick Alexander Smith, Rufus Vernon Pike.

Done at Newton Iowa.

A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Edwin H. Hughes". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'E' and a prominent 'H'.

Presiding Bishop.

VI

DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS

1. *Is this Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirements of the Discipline?* Yes.

2. *Who have been Received by Transfer and from what Conferences?* Wm. H. Neil from North-West Kansas, E. C. Sandmeyer from St. Louis, L. G. Rohrbach from South-West Kansas, George Albert Osborne from Michigan, W. E. Whitlock from Idaho.

3. *Who have been Readmitted?* None.

4. *Who have been Received on Credentials and from what Churches?* None.

5. *Who have been Received on Trial?* a—In studies of first year: Leslie A. Moore, A. A. Heath, Russell G. Nye, Clarence A. Young, H. M. Strong, Wm. H. Slack. b—In studies of third year: None.

6. *Who have been Continued on Trial?* a—In studies of first year: Wm. A. Odell, Lacey C. Moore, E. Madrigal M. b—In studies of second year: Alva D. Huff, C. L. Rubottom, W. J. Phillips, Wm. Zabilka, E. R. Bartlett, C. Cray Jones, Clarence V. Hulse, C. G. Ellis. c—In studies of third year: None. d—In studies of fourth year: None.

7. *Who have been Discontinued?* Wm. E. Overturf.

8. *Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?* a—Elected and ordained Deacons this year: Alfred H. Barker, Gordon D. Cox, Edward W. Stodghill, James A. Wilson, George A. Osborne. b—Elected and ordained Deacons previously: None.

9. *What Members are in Studies of Third Year?* a—Admitted into full membership this year: Alfred H. Barker, Gordon D. Cox, Edward W. Stodghill, James A. Wilson, George A. Osborne. b—Admitted into full membership previously: Harry M. Burns, Thomas J. Pettit, Charles E. Pettit, Jerry H. Krenmyre.

10. *What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?* W. J. Hamilton, G. P. Badgley, W. J. Fowler, A. N. Courtney, T. C. Kennedy, E. C. Sandmeyer.

11. *What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?* a—Elected and ordained Elders this year: F. E. Pfoutz, R. V. Pike, J. W. Stine, F. A. Smith. b—Elected and ordained Elders previously: H. C. Druse.

12. *What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?* a—As Local Preachers: Ernest O. Rankin. b—Under Missionary Rule: None. c—Under Seminary Rule: None.

13. *What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders.* a—As Local Deacons: None. b—Under Missionary Rule: None. c—Under Seminary Rule: None.

14. *Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?* Yes.

15. *Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?* C. N. Pace, Minnesota; A. W. Gilliland, Illinois; J. A. Evans, Illinois; Rollo J. Fisher, South Kansas.

16. *Who have Died?* John Potter.

17. *Who have been Located at their own Request?* A. T. James, J. H. Taylor.

18. *Who have been Located?* None.

19. *Who have Withdrawn?* C. W. Wilson, from the ministry, not from the church.

20. *Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?* None

21. *Who have been Expelled?* None.

22. *What other personal Notation should be made?* None.

23. *Who are the Supernumary Preachers?* W.N.Potter, G. M. Tuttle, E. E. Doud, W. G. Thorn, I. O. Kemble, P. H. Hawk, E. Madrigal M., G. H. Wehn, F. W. Carwell, L. R. Burdock.

24. *Who are the Retired Preachers?* Harrison Runyon, '66; E. H. Waring, '84; I. N. Busby, '86; W. A. Phelps, '98; J. H. Armacost, '01; J. S. Ferguson, '01; J. G. Barton, '01; G. W. Byrkit, '02; J. W. Fraker, '05; D. C. Smith, '05; J. M. Coates, '06; W. N. Hall, '07; T. B. Hughes, '07; A. W. Haines, '07; W. R. Stryker, '08; H. F. Pugh, '09; John Davis, '09; W. G. Wilson, '09; C. R. Norton, '10; W. N. Groom, '10; D. C. Bevan, '10; C. H. Montgomery, '10; J. E. Corley, '11; J. C. W. Coxe, '11; A. V. Kendrick, '11; L. A. Crull, '11; Richard Breeden, '12; E. S. Daly, '12.

25. *Who are the Triers of Appeals?* T. J. Myers, Eugene Allen, H. B. Scoles, J. M. McClelland, T. W. Jeffrey.

26. *What is the Statistical Report for this year?* See tabulated statement.

27. *What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?* \$45556.00.

28. *What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?* \$12,000.00.

29. *What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?* \$8931.00.

30. *What is the Amount of the Five Per Cent. of Collections for the Conference Claimants' Connectional Fund paid by the Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants?* \$261.00.

31. *Where are the Preachers Stationed?* See printed list.

32. *Where shall the next Conference be held?* Oskaloosa, Iowa.

VII

APPOINTMENTS

BURLINGTON DISTRICT

C. L. TENNANT, District Superintendent. 3.
Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.

Batavia	E. A. Bentzinger	1
Birmingham	W. M. Crowther	2
Burlington, First Church.....	Eugene Allen.....	3
Burlington, Grace	J. W. Pool	2
Burlington, Harrison Ave.	H. C. Druse	1
Burlington, West	W. J. Phillips.....	2
Burlington, Circuit	O. J. Fix.....	1
Danville	J. W. Lambert.....	2
Donnellson	H. M. Burns	2
Fairfield	Thomas Osborn.....	3
Fairfield Circuit	W. B. Ireland.....	2
Farmington and Bonaparte.....	W. J. Hamilton	2
Ft. Madison, First.....	David Phillips	2
Ft. Madison, Sante Fe Ave.....	M. A. Banker	4
Hillsboro	S. F. Bishop	1
Keokuk	A. H. Lathrop.....	1
Kingston	Supplied, Churley Bloomquist.....	1
Libertyville	R. C. Russell	2
Mediapolis.....	G. H. Hanawalt.....	1
Montrose	L. C. Moore	2
Morning Sun.....	George Blagg.....	4
Morning Sun Circuit.....	Supplied, J. F. Rex.....	1
Mt. Pleasant, First.....	H. A. Ingham.....	5
Mt. Pleasant, West.....	Supplied, Earl Vandegriff.....	1
Mt. Pleasant, Circuit.....	J. F. Barnett.....	3
Mt. Sterling	W. J. Fowler.....	2
Mt. Union.....	J. C. Behrens	2
New London.....	T. S. Pool	1
Salem	J. W. Stine	1
Sperry.....	C. C. Jones.....	1
Stockport.....	E. S. Hehner	2
Valley, Bentonsport, Vernon.....	Supplied, Homer Hendickson.....	1
Wayland	J. W. Carson	2
West Point	Supplied, C. E. Ward	1
Winfield	W. A. Longnecker.....	2
Yarmouth.....	A. L. Jordon	2

MUSCATINE DISTRICT

J. A. BOATMAN, District Superintendent. 6.

Muscatine, Iowa.

Ainsworth	J. A. Glendinning	4
Amish	W. E. Berg	1
Brighton	W. H. Dillon	1
Columbus Junction	A. W. McBlain	2
Crawfordsville	N. A. Swickard	2
Grandview	Edward R. Bartlett	2
Kalona	W. S. Moore	4
Keota	H. B. Scoles	1
Koszta	To be Supplied	
Ladora	R. T. Richards	2
Letts	T. F. Barker	2
Lexington	H. F. Bohn	1
Lone Tree	C. E. Coggshall	1
Marengo	C. R. Zimmerman	2
Millersburg	C. L. Jordan	2
Muscatine, First	L. M. Grigsby	3
Muscatine, North	A. H. Barker	1
Muscatine, South	G. P. Badgley	2
Nichols	Supplied, C. H. Montgomery	1
North English	H. W. Munster	2
Oakville	H. E. Butler	3
Oxford	Frank S. Seeds	1
Riverside	W. J. Scott	2
Sweetland	Supplied, J. J. Pritchard	1
Tiffin	To be Supplied	
Victor	G. A. Osborne	1
Wapello	E. C. Brooks	2
Washington	U. S. Smith	6
Wellman	R. L. Patterson	2
West Chester	Thomas Rowe	2
West Liberty	M. E. Reusch	2
Williamsburg	C. E. Baumgarten	2
Wilton	J. C. Caughlan	1

OSKALOOSA DISTRICT

C. L. STAFFORD, District Superintendent. 5.

Oskaloosa, Iowa.

Attica	<i>C. L. Rubottom</i>	1
Barnes City	<i>T. C. Kennedy</i>	3
Beacon	<i>C. G. Ellis</i>	1
Brooklyn	<i>F. C. Edwards</i>	3
Bussey	<i>C. W. Cochran</i>	1
Cedar	<i>R. Collier</i>	3
Deep River	<i>F. E. Pfoutz</i>	2
Delta	<i>A. A. Heath</i>	1
Eddyville	<i>J. H. Koch</i>	1
Ewart	Supplied, <i>O. M. Mitchell</i>	1
Fremont	<i>George Filmer</i>	5
Grinnell	<i>J. M. Brown</i>	1
Guernsey	<i>William Zabilka</i>	2
Harvey	<i>C. V. Hulse</i>	2
Hedrick	<i>C. B. Hankins</i>	2
Kellogg	<i>H. C. Millice</i>	3
Kilduff	<i>J. A. Monkman</i>	4
Knoxville	<i>G. L. Minear</i>	1
Knoxville Circuit	To be Supplied	
Lacey	To be Supplied	
Lynnville	<i>William A. Odell</i>	2
Malcolm	<i>Walter A. Smith</i>	2
Martinsburg	<i>H. M. Strong</i>	2
Montezuma	<i>H. F. Gilbert</i>	4
New Sharon	<i>W. S. Gardner</i>	1
Newton	<i>W. H. Perdew</i>	4
Oskaloosa	<i>J. M. McClelland</i>	3
Pella	<i>Charles E. Pettit</i>	1
Reasnor	<i>C. E. Fitzsimmons</i>	1
Rose Hill	Supplied, <i>D. W. Witham</i>	2
Sigourney	<i>F. B. Tucker</i>	2
Sonora	<i>Oscar E. McBride</i>	3
Sully	<i>A. N. Courtney</i>	2
Taintor	<i>F. A. Smith</i>	1
Thornburg	Supplied, <i>Geo. A. Osborne</i>	2
Tracy	<i>L. A. Moore</i>	1
Webster	<i>R. V. Pike</i>	4
What Cheer	<i>L. G. Rohrbaugh</i>	1

OTTUMWA DISTRICT

E. J. SHOOK, District Superintendent. 2.

Ottumwa, Iowa.

Agency	B. G. Hankins	3
Albia	W. H. Neil	1
Avery	<i>Russell G. Nye</i>	1
Blakesburg	<i>Alva D. Huff</i>	1
Bloomfield	J. E. Newsom	2
Bloomfield Circuit	<i>W. H. Slack</i>	1
Buxton	<i>Thomas J. Pettit</i>	1
Cantril	Lloyd Tennant	4
Centerville	J. R. Hanley	4
Chillicothe	G. W. Barber	3
Cincinnati	Supplied, James A. Worrell	2
Drakesville	To be Supplied	
Douds	<i>E. C. Sandmeyer</i>	1
Eldon	L. G. Cummings	3
Exline	W. H. Cannon	2
Farson	James Priestnal	1
Iconium	<i>C. R. Young</i>	1
Jerome	<i>J. H. Krenmyre</i>	2
Keosauqua	C. A. Field	3
Keosauqua Circuit	To be Supplied	
Kirkville	W. E. Whitlock	1
Lovilia	J. P. Hehner	1
Milton	O. G. Orcutt	3
Moravia	P. M. Conant	4
Moulton	A. M. Smith	4
Mystic	A. B. Hightshoe	2
Ottumwa, First church	T. W. Jeffrey	5
Ottumwa, Main Street	A. B. Cadwell	2
Ottumwa, Willard Street	J. F. Robertson	2
Packwood	Supplied, T. K. Holliday	2
Pulaski	J. E. Ward	2
Richland	J. S. Decker	2
Troy	<i>James A. Wilson</i>	3
Unionville	N. A. Orcutt	2

Special Appointments

E. A. Schell, President Iowa Wesleyan College; E. E. Lymer, Dean; J. W. Hancher, Counselor of the American University; T. J. Myers, Treasurer and Field Secretary, Iowa Wesleyan College, Mt. Pleasant Quarterly Conference; W. P. Stoddard, Corresponding Secretary, Iowa Methodist Hospital, Grinnell Quarterly Conference; J. C. Kendrick, Conference Agent Permanent Fund, Main Street Quarterly Conference, Ottumwa; U. B. Smith, Superintendent American Home Finding Association, Willard Street Quarterly Conference, Ottumwa; C. S. Cooper, District Superintendent Iowa Anti-Saloon League, Agency Quarterly Conference; J. B. Eyestone, Missionary to China; R. D. Pool, Missionary to Oklahoma; H. N. Smith, Assistant to President Iowa Wesleyan College, Hedrick Quarterly Conference; Latham Ingham, Missionary to Utah; D. R. Martin, Missionary to Oklahoma.

Left Without Appointment to Attend One of Our Schools

M. D. Cox, G. E. Monkman, C. P. Zenor, E. W. Stodghill, G. D. Cox, Mt. Pleasant Quarterly Conference.

VIII

IOWA CONFERENCE ROLL AND POSTOFFICE ADDRESSES---1912-13

NAME.	POSTOFFICE.	NAME.	POSTOFFICE.
1 Allen, Eugene, Burlington.		46 Davis, John, (ret) Mt. Pleasant	
2 Armacost, J. H., (ret)	Iola, Kan.	47 Decker, John S., Richland.	
3 Badgley, Geo. P., Muscatine.		48 Dillon, W. H., Brighton.	
4 Banker, M. A., Ft. Madison.		49 Doud, E. E., (sy)	Los Angeles, California.
5 Barber, G. W., Chillicothe.		50 Druse, H. C., Burlington.	
6 Barker, A. H., Muscatine.		51 Edwards, F. C., Brooklyn.	
7 Barker, T. F., Letts.		52 Ellis, Chas. G., (p)	University Park.
8 Barnett, J. F., Mt. Pleasant.		53 Eyestone, J. B.,	Foochow, China.
9 Bartlet, Edward R., (p)	Grandview.	54 Ferguson, J. S., (ret) Keokuk.	
10 Barton, J. G., (ret) Ottumwa.		55 Field, C. A., Keosauqua.	
11 Baumgarten, C. E.,	Williamsburg.	56 Filmer, George, Fremont.	
12 Behrens, J. C., Mt. Union.		57 Fix, O. J., Burlington.	
13 Bentzinger, E. A., Batavia.		58 Fowler, W. J., Mt. Sterling.	
14 Berg, W. E., Kalona.		59 Fraker, J. W., (ret)	Mt. Pleasant.
15 Bevan, D. C., (ret)	Woodburn, Ore.	60 Gardner, W. S., New Sharon.	
16 Bishop, S. F., Hillsboro.		61 Gilbert, H. F., Montezuma.	
17 Blagg, George, Morning Sun.		62 Glendinning, J. A., Ainsworth.	
18 Boatman, J. A., Muscatine.		63 Grigsby, L. M., Muscatine.	
19 Bohn, H. F., Wellman.		64 Groom, W. N., (ret) Fremont.	
20 Breeden, R., Wyoming.		65 Haines, A. W., (ret)	Pearl City, Illinois.
21 Brooks, E. C., Wapello.		66 Hall, W. N., (ret) Oskaloosa.	
22 Burdock, L. R., (sy) Montana.		67 Hamilton, W. J., Farmington.	
23 Burns, Harry M., Mt. Pleasant		68 Hancher, J. W., 1422 F St. N-W	Washington, D. C.
24 Busby, I. N., (ret) Brooklyn.		69 Hankins, B. G., Agency.	
25 Butler, H. E., Oakville.		70 Hankins, C. B., Hedrick.	
26 Byrkit, G. W., (ret) Cal.		71 Hanley, J. R., Centerville.	
27 Cadwell, A. B., Ottumwa.		72 Hanawalt, G. H., Mediapolis.	
28 Cannon, H. W., Exline.		73 Heath, A. A., Delta.	
29 Carson, J. W., Wayland.		74 Hehner, E. S., Stockport.	
30 Carwell, F. W., (sy) Kansas.		75 Hehner, J. P., Lovilia.	
31 Caughlan, J. C., Wilton.		76 Hightshoe, A. B., Mystic.	
32 Coates, J. M., (ret)	Prairie Du Chien, Wisconsin.	77 Huff, Alva D., (p) Blakesburg.	
33 Cochran, C. W., Eddyville.		78 Hughes, T. B., (ret) Grinnell.	
34 Collier, R., Cedar.		79 Hulse, C. V., (p) Harvey.	
35 Conant, P. M., Moravia.		80 Ingham, H. A., Mt. Pleasant.	
36 Cooper, C. S., Agency.		81 Ingham, L., Utah.	
37 Corley, J. E. (ret) Manvel, Tex.		82 Ireland, W. B., Fairfield.	
38 Courtney, Albert N., Sully.		83 Jeffrey, T. W., Ottumwa.	
39 Cox, G. D., (p) school, Boston		84 Jones, W. H., Ottumwa.	
40 Cox, M. D., (school).		85 Jones, C. Cray, (p) Sperry.	
41 Coxe, J. C. W., (ret)	Los Angeles, California.	86 Jordan, A. L., Yarmouth.	
42 Crowther, W. M., Birmingham.		87 Jordan, C. L., Millersburg.	
43 Crull, L. A., (ret) Sweetland.		88 Kemble, I. O., (sy) Oskaloosa.	
44 Cummins, L. G., Eldon.		89 Kendrick, A. V., (ret)	California.
45 Daly, E. S., (ret) Troy.			

NAME.	POSTOFFICE.	NAME.	POSTOFFICE.
90 Kendrick, J. C., Ottumwa.		136 Pugh, H. F., Cedar Rapids.	
91 Kennedy, T. C., Barnes City.		137 Reusch, M. E., West Liberty.	
92 Koch, J. H., Eddyville.		138 Richards, R. T., Ladora.	
93 Krenmyre, J. H., Mt. Pleasant		139 Robertson, J. F., Ottumwa.	
94 Lambert, J. W., Danville.		140 Rohrbaugh, L. G.,	
95 Lathrop, A. H., Keokuk.		What Cheer.	
96 Longnecker, W. A., Winfield.		141 Rowe, Thomas, West Chester	
97 Lymer, E. E., Mt. Pleasant.		142 Rubottom, C. L., (p) Attica.	
98 Madrigal, E., (sy) Costa Rica.		143 Runyon, H., (ret) Sidney	
99 Martin, D. R., Muskogee, Okl.		144 Russell, R. C., Libertyville.	
100 McBlain, A. W.,		145 Sandmeyer, E. C., Douds.	
Columbus Junction.		146 Schell, E. A., Mt. Pleasant.	
101 McBride, O. E., Sonora.		147 Scoles, H. B., Keota.	
102 McClelland, J. M., Oskaloosa.		148 Scott, W. J., Riverside.	
103 Millice, H. C., Kellogg.		149 Seeds, F. S., Oxford.	
104 Minear, G. L., Knoxville.		150 Shook, E. J., Ottumwa.	
105 Monkman, G. E., Evanston.		151 Slack, W. H., West Grove.	
106 Monkman, J. A., Killduff.		152 Smith, A. M., Moulton.	
107 Montgomery, C. H., (ret)		153 Smith, D. C., (ret) Ottumwa.	
Nichols.		154 Smith, F. A., Taintor.	
108 Moore, L. A., (p) Tracy.		155 Smith, H. N., Hedrick.	
109 Moore, W. S., Kalona.		156 Smith, U. B., Ottumwa.	
110 Moore, L. C., (p) Montrose.		157 Smith, U. S., Washington.	
111 Munster, H. W.,		158 Smith, W. A., Malcolm.	
North English.		159 Stafford, C. L., Oskaloosa.	
112 Myers, T. J., Mt. Pleasant.		160 Stine, J. W., Salem.	
113 Neil, W. H., Albia.		161 Stoddard, W. P., Grinnell.	
114 Newsom, J. E., Bloomfield.		162 Stodghill, E. W., (p)	
115 Norton, C. R., (ret)		Evanston, Ill.	
Glendale, Cal.		163 Stryker, W. R., (ret)	
116 Nye, R. G., (p) Avery		Washington.	
117 Odell, Wm. A., (p) Lynnville.		164 Swickard, N. A.,	
118 Orcutt, N. A., Unionville.		Crawfordsville.	
119 Orcutt, O. G., Milton.		165 Tennant, C. L., Mt. Pleasant.	
120 Osborne, G. A., Victor.		166 Tennant, Lloyd, Cantril.	
121 Osborn, Thomas, Fairfield.		167 Thorn, W. G., (ret)	
122 Patterson, R. L., Wellman.		Washington.	
123 Perdew, W. H., Newton.		168 Tucker, F. B., Sigourney.	
124 Pettit, C. E., Pella.		169 Tuttle, G. M., (sy)	
125 Pettit, T. J., Buxton.		1618 S. St., Burlington, Iowa.	
126 Pfoutz, F. E., Deep River.		170 Ward, J. E., Pulaski.	
127 Phelps, W. A., (ret)		171 Waring, E. H., (ret)	
Pittsfield, Mass.		Oskaloosa.	
128 Phillips, David, Ft. Madison.		172 Wehn, G. H., (sy)	
129 Phillips, Warren J.,		173 Whitlock, W. E., Kirkville.	
West Burlington.		174 Wilson, W. G., (ret)	
130 Pike, R. V., Webster.		Los Angeles, California.	
131 Pool, J. W., Burlington.		175 Wilson, J. A., Troy.	
132 Pool, R. D., Oklahoma.		176 Young, C. R., Iconium.	
133 Pool, T. S., New London.		177 Zabilka, William, (p)	
134 Potter, W. N.,		Guernsey.	
Mt. Vernon, S. D.		178 Zenor, C. P., student.	
135 Priestnal, James, Farson.		179 Zimmerman, C. R., Marengo.	

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MINISTERIAL RECORD

- ALLEN, EUGENE, Detroit. Iowa. Oskaloosa, '07; Burlington First church, '10.
- ARMACOST, J. H., Kentucky, Mt. Olivet. Iowa, Unionville, '83; Salem, '85; Morning Sun, '86; Wellman, '89; Keota, '91; Pella '94; Sy., '95; Ret., 1900.
- LADGLEY, GEO. P., Kentucky. Iowa, Muscatine South, '11.
- BANKER, M. A., Kentucky, '00; Iowa, Mystic, '06; Santa Fe Ave., Ft. Madison, '09.
- BARBER, G. W., Iowa, Keosauqua circuit, '82; Bentonsport, '84; Puiaski, '86; Selma, '88; Eldon, '93; Taintor, '95; Kossuth, '96; Farmington, '97; Drakesville, '00; Libertyville, '02; Unionville, '04; Bussey, '06; Salem, '08; Ret., '09; Chillicothe, '10.
- BARKER, THOMAS F., Iowa. Crawfordsville, '90; Kossuth, '96; Eldon, '97; Crawfordsville, '02; New London, '04; Lovilla, '10; Letts, '11.
- BARKER, ALFRED H., Iowa. Victor, '10; Lexington, '11; Muscatine North, '12.
- BARNETT, JOHN F., Iowa, '84; Farmington, '85; G. B. I., '88; North English, '92; Wilton, '94; Ft. Madison, First Ch., '99; Milton, '01; Fremont, '04; Richland, '05; New Sharon, '08; Mt. Pleasant Ct., '10.
- BARTLETT, EDWARD R., Iowa, Grandview, '11.
- BARTON, JAMES G., Iowa. Dohlonaga, '68; Kirksville, '70; South Burlington, '73; Knoxville, '76; Ottumwa, Main St., '79; Chester, and Sheridan, '80; Oxford, '81; Montezuma, '83; Newton, '86; Mar-engo, '87; Kirksville, '89; Mount Pleasant, west circuit, '93; Libertyville, '96; Ret., '98.
- BEHRENS, JOHN C., Iowa, Mt. Union, '11.
- BENTZINGER, EDWARD A., Iowa. Oakville, '04; Marsh, '05; Yarmouth, '06; Burlington Ct., '08; Batavia, '12.
- BERG, WILLIAM E., Iowa. Taintor, '04; Douds, '05; Sy., '07; West Grove, '09; Sweetland, '10; Amish, '12.
- BEVAN, DAVID C., Iowa. Pleasant Hill, '70; Koszta, '72; Oxford, '74; Lettsville, '77; Sweetland, '79; Wilton, '80; Ottumwa Main St., '83; First Ch., Oskaloosa, '85; Victor, '91; Malcolm, '94; Letts, '96; Morning Sun, '99; Ft. Madison First ch., '01; Ottumwa, Main St., '02; Moulton, '05; Hedrick, '09; Ret., '10.
- BISHOP, S. F., Iowa. Salem, '78; Webster, '80; Martinsburg, '82; Brighton, '83; Newton circuit, '85; Lone Tree, '86; Pleasant Hill, '88; Pella, '90; Wayland, '92; New London, '94; Columbus City, '97; Sperry, '00; Sy., '01; Millersburg, '04; Barnes City, '06; Jerome, '08; West Point, '09; Hillsboro, '12.
- BLAGG, GEORGE, Iowa. Exline, '01; Mystic, '03; Mt. Sterling, '06; Morning Sun, '09.
- BOATMAN, J. A., Kentucky. Cumberland City, '70; Meade Ct., '71; Hardin Ct., '72; Student De Pauw, '73; Louisa, '79; Augusta, '80; Iowa, Moulton, '83; Newton, '86; Albia, '87; Brooklyn, '89; Washington, '92; Bloomfield, '94; Fairfield, '95; Keokuk, '98; Morning Sun, '01; Ft. Madison, '02; West Liberty, '03; Wellman, '06; Muscatine Dist., '07.
- BOHN, H. F., Iowa, Packwood, '09; Attica, '10; Lexington, '12.

- BREEDEN, RICHARD, Iowa. Marysville, '88; Chillicothe, '89; Drakeville, '90; Bentonsport, '91; Lebanon, '93; Cincinnati, '95; Pulkaski, '96; Mystic, '97; Amish, '98; North English, '00; Sonora, '03; Supt. Am. Home Finding Association, '04; Sy., '05; Missionary Wyoming, '11; Ret., '12.
- BROOKS, EDWARD C., Colorado, '70; Iowa, Ottumwa Main St., '87; Marengo, '89; Newton, '92; Montezuma, '95; Centerville, '98; Brooklyn, '00; Muscatine Ct., '03; North English, '06; Williamsburg, '09; Wapello, '11.
- BROWN, J. M., Minn., '89; Dakota, Sioux Falls; Iowa, Keokuk, '11; Grinnell, '12.
- BAUMGARTEN, C. E., Iowa, West Chester, '08; Williamsburg, '11.
- BURDOCK, LUKE R., Iowa. Cedar, '05; Thornberg, '06; Deep River, '08; Delta, '11; Sy., '12.
- BURNS, HARRY M., Iowa. Donnelson, '11.
- BUSBY, I. N., Iowa. Malcolm, '68; Montezuma, '71; Newton, '73; Ottumwa, '75; Danville, '76; New London, '79; Malcolm and Madison, '81; Madison, '82; Ret., '86.
- BUTLER, H. E., Iowa. West Grove, '06; Donnellson, '07; Oakville, '10.
- BYRKIT, G. W., Iowa. Osceola, '57; Bentonsport, '58; Libertyville, '59; Blakesburg, '60; Attica, '61; Bloomfield, '62; Centerville, '63; West Point, '64; Kossuth, '66; Ft. Madison, '67; Keosauqua, '68; Agency, '70; Danville, '72; Wapello, '75; Bloomfield, '77; Burlington, Grace, '78; Mt. Pleasant Circuit, '81; Winfield, '84; New London, '85; Birmingham, '86; Muscatine Ct., '88; Riverside, '90; Ladora, '91; Oxford, '92; Richland, '94; Rose Hill, '95; Delta, '96; Koszta, '97; West Chester, '98; Tiffin, '00; Millersburg, '01; Ret., '02.
- CADWELL, A. B., Illinois, Pleasant Hill, '98; Manchester, '99; Oconee, '03; Pava, '04; Owaneco, '05. Iowa. Winfield, '08; Ottumwa, Main Street, '11.
- CANNON, H. W., Man. and Sask. Conf., '02-'05; Minnesota, Clarksfield, '05; Hendricks, '07; Iowa. Rose Hill, '09; Thornburg, '10; Exline, '11.
- CARSON, J. W., Iowa. Salina, '90; Troy, '91; Columbus City, '96; Salem, '97; Cantril, '01; Mystic, '02; Keosauqua Ct., '03; Mt. Sterling, '04; Unionville, '06; Farmington, '09; Wayland, '11.
- CARWELL, F. W., St. Louis, German, Wrayville, '05. Iowa, Lexington, '09; Sy., '12.
- CAUGHLAN, J. C., Iowa. Martinsburg, '88; Durham, '90; Eddyville, '92; Kirkville, '96; Packwood, '00; Bussey, '03; Moravia, '04; New Sharon, '06; Richland, '08; Pella, '11; Wilton, '12.
- COATES, JAS. M., Iowa. Richmond, '60; Millersburg, '61; West Liberty, '62; Wilton, '64; North Liberty, '65; Sweetland Center, '67; Millersburg, '69; Malcolm, '70; Kellogg, '73; Newton Circuit, '75; Granville, '78; Sy., '79; North Newton Circuit, '80; Pella, '81; Victor, '83; located, '84; re-admitted, '89; Oxford, '89; Ainsworth, '92; Ft. Madison, Santa Fe Ave., '97; Millersburg, '99; Sy., '01; Ret., '06.
- COCHRAN, C. W., Iowa. Salina, '01; West Point, '03; Sperry, '05; Burlington Ct., '07; Attica, '08; Eddyville, '10; Bussey, '12.
- COGGSHALL, C. E., Fremont, '05; Cincinnati, '07; Eldon, '08; Buxton, '11; Lone Tree, '12.

- COLLIER, RICHARD, Iowa. Deep River, '88; Taintor, '91; Beacon, '92; Lynnville, '94; Mystic, '98; Bentonsport, '01; Bonaparte, '02; Eldon, '03; Cincinnati, '05; Wayland, '07; Cedar, '10.
- CONANT, P. M., Riverside, '03; Webster, '04; Muscatine Ct., '06; Burlington, West, '08; Moravia, '09.
- COOPER, C. S., Missouri. New London, '69; Warrentown, '70. Brookfield, '72; Macon City, '73; Iowa. Keosauqua, '73; Sigourney, '76; Missouri, Plattsburg, '79; Mayville, '80; West Nebraska Mission, '83; Iowa, Kossuth, '90; Kirksville, '92; Keokuk Dist., '97; Albia, '03; Dist. Supt. Anti-Saloon League, '05.
- CORLEY, J. E., Iowa. Malcom, '71; Victor, '72; North Newton, '73; located, '74; Morning Sun, '77; Kossuth, '79; Fort Madison, '81; Marengo, '84; Oskaloosa, Simpson, '86; Montezuma, '88; Burlington Dist., '90; Grinnell, '96; West Liberty, '99; Milton, '00; Fairfield, '01; Sy., '03; Deep River, '05; Wilton, '07; North English, '09; Ret., '11.
- COURTNEY, ALBERT N., Iowa. Sully, '11.
- COX, M. D., St. Louis. Iowa. Hamilton, '07; Buxton, '08; School, '11.
- COX, GORDON D., Iowa. Bussey, '10; School, '12.
- COXE, J. C. W., Vermont. Bellows Falls, '64; Groton, '65; Lydon, '68; Springfield, '69; Montpelier, '71; Principal Vermont Methodist Seminary, '72. Iowa. Burlington, Division St., '74; Washington, '77; Oskaloosa, First church, '79; Brooklyn, '82; Western General Agent S. S. Union and Tract Society, '85; Conference S. S. Agent, '92; Financial Agent I. W. U., '93; Muscatine Dist., '95; Knoxville, '01; Agent Permanent Fund, '03; Oskaloosa, '04; Sy., '09; Ret., '11.
- CROWTHER, W. M., Oklahoma. Iowa. Libertyville, '10; Birmingham, '11.
- CRULL L. A., Oklahoma, '94; Iowa, '97; Millersburg, '97; Sweetland, '99; Danville, '01; Sy., '03; Kellogg, '04; Moravia, '06; Malcom, '08; Ret., '11.
- CUMMINS, L. G., So. Illinois, '98; Iowa. Lacey, '03; Newton Ct., '06; Mt. Sterling, '09; Eldon, '10.
- DALY, EUGENE S. Sy., '03; Ret., '12.
- DAVIS, JOHN, New Connecton, Canada, '69. Iowa. Chillicothe, '71; Independence, '73; Keota, '74; Webster, '77; Brighton, '79; Millersburg '81; Pleasant Hill, '84; Lexington, '87; Lone Tree, '90; Kallona, '92; Webster, '94; Beacon, '01; Iconium, '03; Troy, '04; Drakeville, '06; Ret., '09.
- DECKER, JOHN S., Iowa. Melrose, '99; Sperry, '01; Burlington, West, '03; Mt. Pleasant, West, '04; Packwood, '07; Kirksville, '09; Richland, '11.
- DILLON, WILLIAM H., Iowa. Melrose, '94; Pleasant Plain, '96 Martinsburg, '99; Durham, '01; West Chester, '02; Williamsburg, '05; Wilton, '09; Brighton, '12.
- DOUD, EDWARD E., Iowa. Mt. Union, '85; Sy., Pulaski, '88; Libertyville, '92; Thornburg, '94; Reasoner, '95; New London, '97; Crawfordsville, '00; Avery, '02; Missionary to Arizona, '04; Sy., '09.
- DRUSE, H. C., Iowa. Bonaparte, '08; Salem, '10; Burlington, Harrison Ave., '12.
- EDWARDS, FRED C., Iowa. Beacon, '04; Pella, '05; School, '06; Delta, '08; Brooklyn, '10.

- EYESTONE, J. B., Iowa. Keosauqua Ct., '98; Libertyville, '00; School, '02; Missionary to China, '05.
- FERGUSON, J. S., Ret., '03.
- FIELD, C. A., Missouri, Hamilton, '95; Chula, '97; Stewardsville, '98; Maysville, '99; Graham, '02; St. Joseph Wesley, '04; Iowa Conference. Santa Fe Ave., Ft. Madison, '06; Mystic, '09; Keosauqua, '10.
- FILMER, GEO., N. Y., East, '74. Iowa. Milton, '91; Danville, '93; Ainsworth, '97; Lexington, '01; Kalona, '03; Chillicothe, '06; Fremont, '08.
- FIX, O. J., Iowa. Hillsboro, '07; Batavia, '10; Burlington Ct., '12.
- FOWLER, WM. J., Iowa. School, '09; Mt. Sterling, '11.
- FRAKER, J. W., Iowa. North Newton Ct., '84; Rose Hill, '85; Taintor, '87; Farmington, '91; Birmingham, '94; Mt. Pleasant Ct., '97; New London, '00; Sy., '04; Ret., '05.
- GARDNER, W. S., Iowa. Abingdon, '82; Salina, '83; Webster, '84; Drakeville, '87; Eldon, '90; Ottumwa, Willard St., '91; Oskaloosa, Simpson Ch., '93; Fremont '94; Keokuk, First Ch., '98; Moulton, '02; Albia, '05; Field Secretary Graham Hospital, '08; Delta, '10; Mediapolis, '11; New Sharon, '12.
- GILBERT, H. F., Iowa. Mt. Zion, '93; Keosauqua Ct., '94; Batavia, '97; West Burlington, '98; Eddyville, '00; Cedar, '01; Packwood, '03; Cantril, '04; Montezuma, '09.
- GLENDINNING, J. A., Burlington Ct., '03; School, '07; Moravia, '08; Ainsworth, '09.
- GRIGSBY, L. M., Nebraska. Iowa. Muscatine, First Ch., '10.
- GROOM WILLIAM N., Iowa. Batavia, '74; Keokuk First Ch., '76; Boston Theological School, '80; New Sharon, '83; Keosauqua, '84; Missionary to Idaho, '86; Pella, '87; Ottumwa, Main St., '89; Wilton Junction, '92; Keota, '94; Malcom, '96; What Cheer, '97; Deep River, '99; Beacon, '00; Unionville, '01; Conf. Evangelist, '02; Sy., '06; Ret., '10.
- HAINES, A. W., Iowa Conf., Beacon, '69; Lancaster, '70; Abingdon, '71; Eureka, '72; Bonaparte, '73; Bentonsport, '75; Drakesville, '77; Pulaski, '79; Lebanon, '81; Birmingham, '83; Kossuth, '86; Burlington Ct., '87; Kellogg, '88; Pella '92; What Cheer, '94; Malcom, '97; Oxford, '99; Ewart, '00; Sy., '02; Ret., '07.
- HALL, W. N., Iowa. Letts, '80; Marengo, '82; Sigourney, '84; Keosauqua, '86; Burlington, Grace, '87; Sy., '90; Ft. Madison, Santa Fe Ave., '93; Winfield, '94; Ret., '98; Tiffin, '99; Wilton, '00; Hedrick, '02; New Sharon, '03; Victor, '06; Ret., '07; Tracey, '10.
- HAMILTON, W. J., Iowa. Beacon, '08; Victor, '08; Mt. Sterling, '10; Farmington, '11.
- HANAWALT, G. H., Iowa. Beacon, '96; Delta, '98; Victor, '02; Mt. Pleasant Ct., '06; New Sharon, '10; Mediapolis, '12.
- HANCHER, J. W., So., Kan. Cotton Wood Falls, '80; Florence, '81; Upper Iowa, Clarksville, '83; Nashua, '84; Missionary to Black Hills, '87; Black Hills, Rapid City, '87; Pres. Black Hills College, '89; Grand Ave. Ch., Kansas City, '97; N. New York, Herkimer, '99; Iowa, Pres. I. W. U., '01; Prof. I. W. U., '08; Counsellor of American University, '12.
- HANDY, ELIAS, Iowa. Lebanon, '90; Mystic, '92; Newton Ct., '96; What Cheer, '99; Prof. I. W. U., '02; Washington, '05; Grinnell, '07; Keokuk, '12.

- HANKINS, B. G., Iowa. Sperry, '97; Oakville, '00; Salem, '03; Lovilia, '06; Agency, '10.
- HANKINS, CHARLES B., Iowa. Montrose, '04; Libertyville, '05; West Point, '07; School, '08; Mystic, '10; Hedrick, '11.
- HANLEY, J. R., Iowa. West Chester, '00; Sweetland, '02; Keota, '04; West Liberty, '06; Centerville, '09.
- HEATH, A. A., Iowa. Delta, '12.
- HEHNER, E. S., Iowa. Lacey, '07; Yarmouth, '09; Stockport, '11.
- HEHNER, J. P., Iowa. Delta, '07; Libertyville, '08; Wayland, '10; Lone Tree, '11; Lovilia, '12.
- HIGHTSHOE, A. B., Iowa. West Point, '89; Lone Tree, '94; Sigourney, '98; Montezuma, '01; Fort Madison, '03; Ottumwa, Main St., '05; Financial Secretary American Home Finding Ass'n., '07; Crawfordsville, '09; Mystic, '11.
- HOLLIDAY, T. K., Packwood, '11.
- HUGHES, T. B., W. Va., '57; Calhoun, Harrisville, '58; Glenville, '59; Spencer, '61; W. Union, '62; Middlebourne, '63; Moundsville, '64; Iowa, Grinnell, '85; Oskaloosa Dist., '90; Bloomfield, '96; Albia, '00; Sigourney, '03; Agency, '05; Ret., '07.
- HUFF, ALVA D., Iowa. Iconium, '10; Farson, '11; Blakesburg, '12.
- HULSE CLARENCE V., Iowa, Harvey, '11.
- INGHAM, H. A., Iowa. Blakesburg, '94; Tracy, '96; Brighton, '99; Keosauqua, '02; Winfield, '05; Mt. Pleasant, First, '08.
- INGHAM, L., Iowa. New London, '86; Neb., '88; Iowa. Moravia, '94; Hedrick, '97; Moulton, '00; Keokuk, First, '04; Knoxville, '05; Milton, '08; Sy., '10; Missionary, Utah, '11.
- IRELAND, W. B., Iowa. Unionville, '93; Cedar, '94; Lovilia, '95; Durham, '96; Mt. Union, '98; West Point, '00; Drakeville, '02; Pulas-ki, '04; Libertyville, '07; Muscatine South, '08; Kellogg, '09; Sy., '10; Fairfield Ct., '11.
- JEFFREY, T. W., Iowa Conference. Ottumwa, 1st Church, '08.
- JONES, W. H., Reasoner, '02; Ottumwa Ct., '05; Bonaparte, '06; Douds, '07; American Home Finding Society, '10.
- JONES C. CRAY, Iowa. Drakeville, '11; Sperry, '12.
- JORDAN, ARTHUR L., Iowa. Sperry, '04; Oakville, '05; Sweetland, '07; Webster, '08; Riverside, '09; Yarmouth, '11.
- JORDAN, C. L., Illinois, Mounds, '87; Beverly, '89; Monticello, '90; Morris City, '92; Rock River Conf., Burrett, '94; Kent, '00; Minn. Laciescent, '03; Glenville, '06; Iowa Conf., Kalona, '07; Cincinnati, '08; Montrose, '09; Millersburg, '11.
- KEMBLE, I. O., Iowa. Pella, '65; Marengo, '68; Bloomfield, '71; Albia, '74; I. W. U., '76; Rose Hill, '78; Newton Ct., '80; Sigourney, '83; Washington, '84; Newton, '87; Muscatine Dist., '89; Centerville, '95; Fairfield, '98; Keokuk, Chatham Sq., '01; Keokuk, '04; Sy., '05; Beacon, '09; Sy., '11.
- KENDRICK, J. C., Iowa. Springfield, '69; Keota, '70; Abingdon, '72; Wayland, '73; New London, '76; Winfield, '78; Wapello, '80; Richland, '82; Eldon, '85; Ainsworth, '87; Sigourney, '89; Ottumwa, Main St., '93; Muscatine, '95; Pella, '98; Agency, '01; Columbus Junction, '03; Oxford, '06; Martinsburg, '07; Conf. Agent Permanent Fund, '08.

- KENDRICK, A. V., Iowa. Springfield, '73; Malcom, '76; New Sharon, '79; Oskaloosa, Simpson, '82; S. Burlington, '84; Ft. Madison, '87; West Liberty, '91; Keokuk, Chatham Sq., '94; Brooklyn, '96; Centerville, '00; Keokuk Dist., '03; Burlington, Harrison Ave., '03; Field Sec'y Graham Hospital, '10; Ret., '11.
- KENNEDY, THOMAS A., Iowa, Barnes City, '11.
- KOCH, J. H., Iowa. Pleasant Plain, '05; Crawfordsville, '06; Farmington, '07; Unionville, '09; Lovilia, '11; Eddyville, '12.
- KRENMYRE, J. H., Iowa. Keosauqua Ct., '08; Jerome, '09; Avery, '10; Jerome, '11.
- LAMBERT, J. W., W. Va., Centerville Ct., '77; Parkersburg Ct., '79; Ravenswood Ct., '82; Elizabeth Ct., '84; Iowa, New Sharon, '89; Sonora Ct., '89; Montezuma, '92; Brooklyn, '95; Knoxville, '96; Ottumwa Dist., '99; Keokuk, '05; Burlington, Grace '08; Danville.
- LONGNECKER, W. A., Iowa, Sperry, '92; student at Boston, '94; Lacey, '97; Deep River, '00; Letts, '05; Danville, '09; Winfield, '11.
- LYMER, ELMER E., Des Moines. Coin, '82; Farragut, '83; Essex, '84; Missionary to Black Hills, Sturgis, '88; V. Pres. Black Hills College, '90; President Black Hills College, '97; N. W. Iowa, Ida Grove, '99; Spirit Lake, '00; Dean Morningside College, '01; Prof. I. W. U., '04; Dean I. W. U., '09.
- MADRIGAL, M. E., Iowa. Avery, '11; Sy., '12.
- MARTIN, D. R., Iowa. Oskaloosa Ct., '95; Delta, '97; Kellogg, '98; Newton Ct., '01; Milton, '04; Albia, '08; Missionary to Oklahoma, '12.
- McBLAIN, A. W., Iowa. Oskaloosa Ct., '95; Taintor, '96; Rose Hill, '98; Thornburg, '01; Newton Circuit, '04; Sonora, '06; Birmingham, '10; Columbus Junction, '11.
- McBRIDE, OSCAR E., Iowa. Cedar, '06; Sonora, '10.
- McCLELLAND, J. M., Iowa. Tiffin, '92; Sweetland, '94; Student O. W. U., '97; Marengo, '00; Grinnell, '03; Oskaloosa Dist., '07; Burlington Dist., '08; Oskaloosa, '10.
- MILLICE, H. C., Iowa. Koszta, '83; Cincinnati, '84; Salem, '85; Selma, '86; Chillicothe, '87; Lovilia, '89; Attica, '92; Packwood, '95; Cedar, '97; Pulaski, '98; Drakeville, '99; Nichols, '00; Amish, '02; Lynnville, '05; Reasoner, '07; Kellogg, '10.
- MINEAR, G. L., Iowa. School, '94; Salina, '95; Libertyville, '97; School, '98; East Gloucester, '99; Cantril, '01; Field Secretary I. W. U., '04; Principal I. W. U. Academy, '05; Dean Missouri Wesleyan, '08; Iowa, What Cheer, '10; Knoxville, '12.
- MONKMAN, JESSE A., Iowa. Drakeville, '04; Exline, '06; Kilduff, '09.
- MONKMAN, GEORGE E., Iowa. Chillicothe, '04; Pella, '06; School, '11.
- MONTGOMERY, C. H., Iowa. West Point, '73; Winchester, '74; Albia Ct., '77; Durham, '78; Attica, '79; Kirkville, '82; Kossuth, '84; S. W. Kansas, Frederick, '86; Winfield, '90; Patterson, '92; Clearwater, '93; South Bend, '94; Hoisington, '95; Iowa, Victor, '95; Muscatine Ct., '98; Mt. Pleasant Ct., '00; Letts, '02; Sonora, '04; Sy., '06; Ret., '10.
- MOORE, L. A., Iowa. Tracey, '12.
- MOORE, W. S., Iowa. Brooklyn, '90; Hedrick, '92; Durham, '93; Richland, '95; Agency, '99; Kirkville, '00; Pulaski, '02; Cincinnati, '03; Donnellson, '05; Eddyville, '07; Kalona, '09.

- MOORE, LACEY C., Iowa. Montrose, '11.
- MUNSTER, HENRY W., Iowa. Kellogg, '06; Prof. I. W. U., '07; So. Muscatine Ct., '10; North English, '11.
- MYERS, T. J., Iowa. New Sharon, '69; Sigourney, '70; Otley, '71; Bellfountain, '72; Kirkville, '74; Kossuth, '77; Danville, '80; S. Burlington, '83; Burlington Dist., '84; Centerville, '90; Keokuk Dist., '91; Treas. I. W. U., '97; Burlington Dist., '02; Treasurer and Field Secretary I. W. C., '03.
- NEIL, W. H., Iowa. Albia, '12.
- NEWSOM, J. E., Iowa. North India, Cawnpore, '90; Northwest Cawnpore, India, '92; Iowa, Blue Grass, '95; Wellman, '96; West Liberty, '00; Brooklyn, '03; Wapello, '06; Bloomfield, '11.
- NORTON, C. R., Iowa. Salem, '72; Unionville, '73; Hamilton, '75; Chillicothe, '77; What Cheer, '80; Sweetland, '83; Milton, '86; Mediapolis, '91; Hedrick, '94; Moravia, '97; Ret., '03; Batavia, '04; Sy., '05; Ret., '10.
- NYE, R. G., Iowa. Avery, '12.
- ODELL, WILLIAM A., Iowa. Lynnville, '11.
- ORCUTT, N. A., Iowa. Batavia, '07; Packwood, '10; Unionville, '11.
- ORCUTT, O. G., Iowa. West Mt. Pleasant Circuit, '01; Attica, '02; Harvey, '03; Packwood, '05; Agency, '07; Milton, '10.
- OSBORNE, G. A., Iowa. Victor, '12.
- OSBORN, T., Iowa. Williamsburg, '89; Wellman, '93; Mt. Pleasant, West Ct., '95; Agency, '97; Winfield, '99; Fairfield, '03; Muscatine, First, '08; Fairfield, '10.
- PATTERSON, R. L., Iowa. Martinsburg, '84; Brighton, '85; Keota, '87; Eldon, '88; What Cheer, '90; Brooklyn, '92; Keokuk First Ch., '95; Keosauqua, '98; Wapello, '00; Ottumwa, Willard St., '01; Agent Permanent Fund, '04; Danville, '08; Ft. Madison, First Ch., '09; Wellman, '11.
- PERDEW, W. H., Iowa. Columbus City, '94; Student in Boston, '96; New Sharon, '00; Mediapolis, '03; Centerville, '06; Newton, '09.
- PHELPS, W. A., Genesee, '84; Iowa. Martinsburg, '92; Ret., '98.
- PETTIT, C. E., Iowa. Iconium, '07; Blakesburg, '08; Burlington Harrison Ave., '10; Pella, '12.
- PETTIT, T. J., Iowa. Highland and Farson, '07; Ollie, '08; Mt. Pleasant West, '09; Buxton, '12.
- PFOUTZ, F. E., Iowa. Barnes City, '08; Lynnville, '09; Deep River, '11.
- PHILLIPS, D., Iowa. Lynnville, '89; Newton Ct., '93; Deep River, '96; Sonora, '99; Malcom, '03; Lone Tree, '07; Ft. Madison First, '11.
- PHILLIPS, W. J., Iowa. West Burlington, '11.
- PIKE, R. V., Iowa. Koszta, '08; Webster, '09.
- POOL, J. W., Iowa. Hillsboro, '94; Crawfordsville, '95; Student, '96; Kossuth, '97; Fort Madison, Santa Fe, '99; Ladora, '03; Ottumwa Main St., '07; Burlington Grace, '11.
- POOL, R. D., Iowa. Muscatine, Park Ave., '97; Blue Grass, '99; Oxford, '00; Columbus Junction, '06; East Okla. Mission, '09.
- POOL, T. S., Iowa. Bentonsport, '87; Salem, '90; Wapello, '95; Letts, '00; Mt. Pleasant Ct., '02; Fairfield Ct., '06; Brighton, '10; New London, '12.

- POTTER, W.N. Sigourney Ct., '83; Melrose, '83; Plano, '84; Keosauqua Ct., '85; Selma, '87; Webster, '88; Letts, '92; Ladora, '94; Attica, '98; Lexington, '99; Ainsworth, '01; Eddyville, '06; Danville, '07; Sy., '08.
- PRIESTNAL, JAMES, Iowa. Washington Ct., '07; Lacey, '09; Jerome, '10; Blakesburg, '11; Farson, '12.
- PUGH, H. F., Iowa. Fremont, '73; Richland, '74; Martinsburg, '75; Keota, '77; Malcom, '79; Tiffin, '81; Blue Grass, '83; Ladora, '86; Ainsworth, '89; Winfield, '92; Letts, '94; Williamsburg, '96; Lone Tree, '98; Pella, '01; Melrose, '03; Riverside, '04; Ret., '09.
- REUSCH, MOSES E., Michigan. Alden, '96; Traverse City, Ashbury Ch., '97; Albion College, '99; Iowa, Wapello, '03; Medapolis, '06; West Liberty, '11.
- RICHARDS, R. T., Philadelphia, Bangor, '05; Iowa. Nchols, '10; Ladora, '11.
- ROBERTSON, J. F., Iowa. Webster, '02; Washington Ct., '04; Keota, '05; Ottumwa, Willard St., '11.
- ROHRBAUGH, L. G., Iowa. What Cheer, '12.
- ROWE, THOMAS, Iowa. Blakesburg, '04; Harvey and Tracey, '05; Kirkville, '06; Yarmouth, '08; Ladora, '09; West Chester, '11.
- RUBOTTOM, CLARENCE L., Iowa. Millersburg, '10; Amish, '11; Attica, '12.
- RUNYON, H., Iowa. Martinsburg, '60; Eureka, '63; Hamilton, '64; Ret., '66.
- RUSSELL, R. C., West Wisconsin, Trempealeau, '04; New Lisbon, '07; Iowa. Sweetland, '09; Fairfield Ct., '10; Libertyville, '11.
- SANDMEYER, ELMER C., St. Louis, Marionville Ct., '09; Galena, '10; Pierce City, '11. Iowa. Douds, '11.
- SCHELL, E. A., N. W., Indiana. South Bend, '86; New York, Yonkers, '90; Gen. Sec'y. E. L., '92; Financial Sec'y Epworth Hospital, '01; N. W. Indiana, Dist. Supt., '07; La Porte, '08; Iowa, Pres. I. W. C., '08.
- SCOLES, H. B., Iowa. Unionville, '94; Lovilia, '96; Cedar, '98; Hedrick, '00; Brighton, '02; Winfield, '03; Fort Madison, '05; West Liberty, '09; Keota, '11.
- SCOTT, WILLIAM J., Nichols, '06; Amish, '07; Riverside, '11.
- SEEDS, F., Minnesota, '94; Iowa, Douds, '03; Bussey '05; Webster '06; Kalona, '08; Eddyville, '09; Reasoner, '10; Oxford, '12.
- SHOOK, E. J., Iowa. Exline, '93; West Grove, '96; Mt. Pleasant, West Circuit, '98; Cincinnati, '00; Brighton, '03; Willard St., Ottumwa, '04; Ottumwa Dist., '11.
- SLACK, W. H., Iowa. Bloomfield Ct., '12.
- SMITH, A. M., Iowa. Blue Grass, '89; Sweetland, '91; Lexington, '94; Webster, '99; Ladora, '02; Birmingham, '03; Mt. Union, '07; Moulton, '09.
- SMITH, D. C., Iowa. Webster, '64; Kirkville, '67; Victor, '70; Maren-go, '72; Oskaloosa Dist., '75; Brooklyn, '79; Montezuma, '80; Bloomfield, '83; Fairfield, '86; Albia, '88; Ottumwa Dist., '93; Ottumwa, Willard St., '99; Sy., '01; Conf. Evangelist, '02; Pella, '03; Ret., '05.
- SMITH, F. A., Iowa Conf., Martinsburg, '08; Muscatine South, '09; Oxford, '10; Taintor, '12.

- SMITH, H. N., Iowa. Millersburg, '87; Ladora, '89; Riverside, '91; Muscatine Ct., '96; Wellman, '98; Mediapolis, '99; Hedrick, '03; Ottumwa Dist., '05; Asst. Pres. I. W. C., '11.
- SMITH, U. S., Iowa. Montrose, '92; Batavia, '95; West Burlington, '97; Eddyville, '98; School, '99; Pulaski, '00; What Cheer, '02; Montezuma, '03; Washington, '07.
- SMITH, U. B., Iowa. Springfield, '66; Peoria, '68; Bellfontaine, '72; New Sharon, '73; Marengo, '74; Wilton, '76; Oxford, '79; Burlington Grace Church, '80; Danville, '82; Letts, '84; West Liberty, '85; Fort Madison, First Church, '90; Williamsburg, '93; Children's Home Society, '95; Supt. Am. Home Finding Association, '99.
- SMITH, WALTER A., Iowa. Lexington, '05; Farson, '08; Harvey, '09; Malcom, '11.
- STAFFORD, C. L., Iowa. Burlington Ct., '70; Fairfield, '71; Oskaloosa, Simpson, '73; Burlington Grace Church, '76; Albia, '77; Keokuk, Chatham Square, '78; Washington, '81; Muscatine Dist., '83; Ottumwa, First Church, '89; President of Iowa Wesleyan University, '91; Muscatine, '99; Bloomfield, '04; Oskaloosa Dist., '08.
- STINE, J. W., Iowa. Durham, '07; Tiffin, '08; Sperry, '09; Salem, '12.
- STODDARD, W. P., New England Southern, '80; Iowa, Oskaloosa, First Church, '91; Mt. Pleasant, '94; Grinnell, '99; Centerville, '03; Muscatine First, '06; Newton, '07; Cor. Sec. Iowa Methodist Hospital, '09.
- STODGHILL, EDWARD W., Iowa. No. Muscatine Ct., '10; School, '12.
- STRONG, H. M., Martinsburg, '12.
- STRYKER, W. R., Iowa. Albia Ct., '75; Searsboro, '76; Beacon, '77; Eddyville, '78; Muscatine Ct., '80; Oxford, '83; Danville, '85; Washington, '87; Burlington, Grace Ch., '90; Albia, '93; Marengo, '95; Wellman, '00; Sy., '03; Ret., '08.
- SWICKARD, N. A., Iowa. Mt. Pleasant, '05; Sigourney, '08; Crawfordsville, '11.
- TENNANT, C. L., Iowa. Farmington, '84; Cincinnati, '85; Moulton, '88; Keosauqua, '93; Fremont, '98; Grace Church, Burlington, '03; Fairfield, '08; Burlington Dist., '10.
- TENNANT, LLOYD, Iowa. Melrose, '97; Hillsboro, '99; Crawfordsville, '04; Rose Hill, '06; Cantril, '09.
- THORN, W. G., Iowa. Bethel, '67; Floris, '68; Melrose, '69; Unionville, '70; West Grove, '71; Farmington, '72; Montezuma, '73; Brooklyn, '75; Oskaloosa, Simpson Ch., '78; Pella, '79; Newton, '80; Centerville, '83; Keokuk, '86; Fairfield, '88; Mount Pleasant, '90; Washington, '94; Knoxville, '99; Muscatine Dist., '01; Keosauqua, '07; Sy., '10.
- TUCKER, F. B., Iowa. Blakesburg, '96; Ottumwa, Main St., '98; Theological School, '00; Delta, '02; Marengo, '03; Bloomfield, '08; Sigourney, '11.
- TUTTLE, G. M., Vermont, Glover, '69; Danville, '71; Newberry, '73; Iowa. Morning Sun, '75; Burlington Ct., '78; Winfield, '81; Mediapolis, '84; Danville, '87; Montezuma, '90; Keokuk First, '92; Bloomfield, '95; Burlington Dist., '96; Newton, '02; Fremont, '03; Brighton, '04; Sy., '06; Eldon, '07; Sy., '08.
- WARD, J. E., Iowa. Mt. Zion, '03; Bussey, '04; Blakesburg, '05; Iconium, '08; Thornburg, '09; Rose Hill, '10; Pulaski, '11.

WARING, E. H., Baltimore, Sinnemahoning, Pa., (supply) '49; Bloomsburg, Pa., '50; Frederick Ct., Md., '51; New Castle, Va., '52; Union Va., '53; North Danville, Pa., '55; Muncy, Pa., '56; Northumberland and Sentins-Grove, (6 mo.) '57; Kossuth, Iowa, '57; Des Moines, Fifth St., '59; Oskaloosa, '60; Burlington Station, '62; Keokuk, Chatham Sq., '64; Ottumwa, '66; Mount Pleasant Dist., '69; Fairfield, '74; Knoxville, '76; Ret.

WEHN, G. H., Nebraska, '71; Iowa. Farmington, '00; Eldon, '02; Pulaskee, '03; Bonaparte, '04; Montrose, '06; Sy., '08.

WHITLOCK, W. E., Iowa. Kirkville, '12.

WILSON, W. G., Iowa. Albia Ct., '70; S. Burlington, '71; Grinnell, '72; Brooklyn, '74; Theological Seminary, '75; Albia, '78; Ottumwa Dist., '80; Keokuk, Chatham Sq., '84; Muscatine, '86; Ottumwa, First Ch., '91; Oskaloosa Dist., '96; Mt. Pleasant, '02; Hedrick, '05; Ret., '09.

WILSON, JAMES A., Iowa. Troy, '10.

YOUNG, C. R., Iowa. Iconium, '12.

ZABILKA, WM., Iowa. Guernsey, '11.

ZENOR, C. P., Iowa. Columbus Junction, '09; School, '10.

ZIMMERMAN, C. R., Iowa. Lexington, '91; North English, '94; School, '96; West Chester, '97; Victor, '98; Wayland, '02; Morning Sun, '05; Mt. Union, '09; Hedrick, '10; Marengo, '11.

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DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS' REPORTS

BURLINGTON DISTRICT

DEAR FATHERS AND BRETHREN—

In making this my second annual report, I desire to express my gratitude to the pastors and their families for their universal kindness to me during the year's work, and to the Heavenly Father for the blessing of health which has been mine this year.

During the year there has been but little affliction among the pastors and their families. It was reported that Brother G. W. Byrkit had suffered a stroke of paralysis and was in a serious condition, but a later report is that he is improving. I regret to learn that Brother A. V. Kendrick and wife have not been greatly benefited by their change to California. H. M. Burns of Donnellson, was in Graham's Hospital last fall for a month for an operation. Mrs. S. F. Bishop suffered from a broken arm.

Last Conference closed with but two places to be supplied, Hillsboro and Kingston. The former was supplied by C. E. Ward, who had charge of that appointment last year. I secured Churley Bloomquist, a student in the Wesleyan, to take charge of the Kingston appointment. Through an exchange with Dr. J. W. Potter, Dr. J. M. Brown of Sioux Falls, S. D., was transferred into our Conference and stationed at Keokuk. He has done excellent service.

The pastors went to their appointments at the close of Conference and have done faithful service.

SALARIES.—This year's reports will show an increase of salaries of about \$1500, and with but slight exception the salaries will be paid in full. I have been putting forth effort to get the salaries up to a living wage, and have found that the laymen as a rule are recognizing the inadequacy of the support for pastors, and are ready to try for better things. The great difficulty has been to make some of the farmers on the smaller charges see that on the meager salaries it is impossible for a man to live in town, and keep a team, buy books, school and clothe his family and keep out of debt. In order to get an adequate support in some of the charges it will be necessary to rearrange these circuits, and I shall recommend some such changes to the Cabinet at this Conference.

BUILDING AND IMPROVEMENTS.—Mt. Pleasant First Church, which was in process of construction at the last Conference, was completed and dedicated on the 16th of June. The building is beautiful and meets the needs of our people. The church was dedicated by Bishop W. O. Shepard of Kansas City. Dr. W. D. Parr

of Kokomo, Ind., had charge of the finances. The church cost, including the organ, \$47,803.82. There had been raised prior to the day of dedication about \$19,000. There was needed a little upwards of \$29,000 to clear the entire church property, parsonage, paving, etc., and so it was decided to ask for \$30,000. Dr. Parr, assisted by the pastor, the official board, former and neighboring pastors, went after the money. It was a day of great and glorious giving, and when the evening service closed and the totals had been figured up it was found that something over \$31,000 had been subscribed, leaving over \$1,000 for shrinkage. This places this church in fine shape to do a needed work for Christ at the seat of our Conference college.

SANTA FE AVENUE, FT. MADISON.—This church has been at a standstill all the year because we could secure no money to finance its erection. We had hoped to be able to borrow of the Church Extension Society, but thus far have not been able to secure the necessary loan to make possible proceeding with the work. We trust that some one may be found soon who will loan us the money and so enable us to go forward with the work.

Howe Chapel, on the Kingston charge, will be disposed of, and the brethren are getting ready to build a new church in Kingston, which is only a little over a mile away.

At County Line, on the Batavia charge, a new organ has been purchased at a cost of \$75.

Birmingham Church expended \$260 purchasing a new piano and building a sidewalk.

Grace Church, Burlington, put \$400 on much needed parsonage repairs.

At Augusta, on the Burlington Circuit, repairs were made on the church, costing \$150.

West Burlington has spent \$100 on a new roof on the parsonage. Danville expended \$36 on parsonage repairs.

Fairfield First Church put in a new steam heating plant in the church and electric lights in the parsonage at a cost of something over \$1,500.

Repairs have been made on the Bethesda and Pleasant Grove churches, Fairfield Circuit, costing \$170.

Donnellson Charge sold the old parsonage for \$1400, and have added to this two new lots and about \$600 in subscriptions pledged on a new parsonage. They hope to have the needed amount to build next spring.

The Keokuk people, under the leadership of their pastor, have raised and paid \$300 interest and \$3,000 on old debt.

Fort Madison First raised and paid about \$500 of old debt.

On the Hillsboro charge a new fence has been built around the

cemetery at Miller's Chapel at a cost of \$114. A coal house at Utica at an expense of about \$50, and \$14 has been used in repairing the parsonage.

Mediapolis re-frescoed the church and repaired the parsonage, expending \$750.

Libertyville church spent nearly \$175 on improvements.

Morning Sun expended \$180 on improvements.

Donaldson Chapel, on the Mt. Pleasant Circuit, West, spent \$100 on a new porch and paint.

Mt. Sterling church and Story Chapel, on the Mt. Sterling Circuit, were improved by a new lighting system, costing \$110.

Mt. Union installed a new lighting plant for the Mt. Union church and parsonage, built a new sidewalk, and Trinity church and cemetery have been fenced, at a total cost of \$335.

Salem expended \$100 on parsonage improvements.

Stockport charge built a new barn at an expense of \$125. The Stockport church put in new hymn books, built an organ platform and screened the windows, expending nearly \$200.

The Wayland church was raised up and a new foundation and basement were put in, making a convenient arrangement for the social gatherings of the church. The cost was \$2,000. Finley, on this charge, expended \$2,000 on frescoing and roof.

SPIRITUAL.—The spiritual condition of the District is far below what it should be. Yet there have been definite signs of an increased spiritual earnestness among both pastors and people. Nearly all the pastors made some definite effort in revival work, but many were hindered because of rainy weather in the early fall and the extreme winter season. The reports of revival meetings show about 500 conversions as a result of the year's work.

At Mt. Pleasant First, Mediapolis and New London, the meetings were union meetings; Ft. Madison First, Batavia, Keokuk and Montrose had evangelists to assist the pastors; Santa Fe, Kingston, Mt. Union and Stockport, the pastors had neighboring pastors to assist them. In all these meetings there was much evidence of revival power and numbers came into the churches. The largest ingathering was at First Church, Fairfield, where the pastor held his own meeting. At Danville the pastor had two very excellent meetings, having the assistance of Misses Jackson and Jones, singing evangelists. We are looking for more definite results in the coming year.

BENEVOLENCES.—We hope to see the reports of the pastors on the benevolent interests show decided gains over last year. Many charges have made gains, but in a few of the charges local conditions have hindered the work, and in these charges there will be

some loss. We trust, however, that there will not be sufficient shrinkage to cut the gain in other charges.

SABBATH SCHOOL AND EPWORTH LEAGUE.—I believe the reports of the pastors will show a decided increase in the numbers in both of these organizations. Many of the pastors are not pushing the Epworth League work as earnestly as they should.

BROTHERHOOD.—This organization does not seem to be much appreciated by either pastors or laymen. Where we have the organization the work as a rule is not pushed. I confess that my efforts have not seemed to be very productive of good in relation to this organization.

THE LADIES' AID.—Nearly all the charges have one or more Ladies' Aid Societies doing efficient work.

IOWA WESLEYAN COLLEGE.—The College in June closed another very successful year. The securing of another hundred thousand dollars of endowment by Drs. Schell and Smith will greatly aid the finances of the school. We still need a great amount of money to eliminate debt, and repair buildings, and meet current expenses. There is a growing zeal among the pastors to hunt out the Methodist young people for our home school, and as the result we are looking for quite an increase in the student body the coming year. I have been impressed that more care is needed in receiving members into our Conference, both from probation and through transfer, so that we may have men only who will stand loyal to our school. It is easily seen that if we get in a large number of men into our Conference who are indifferent to our school, then we make impossible the success of the Conference undertaking and responsibility.

The Woman's Foreign and The Woman's Home Missionary Societies are in good condition in the District, and are doing efficient work, not only in increasing the collections for these societies, but, through mission study, helping all the mission work of the church.

Reports from the agents of the Permanent Fund, the Hospitals, Home-Finding Associations, and the Anti-Saloon League, will show to what extent these have been successful during the year. Their work is important and our church should constantly stand by them, but I wish to call attention to a matter referred unto in my last year's report; that is that I believe that the Conference is far too generous in the giving of the right of way to our pulpits to so many different institutions, making possible the besieging of our pastors and people with constant appeals for dates and collections of both money and produce. We should take care of the hospitals on some apportionment basis, the Home-Finding Associations by personal solicitation. The Anti-Saloon League and the Permanent Fund, as I see it, alone should have the right to our pulpits for an

appeal and a collection. Our pastors are subjected to too many insistent and, in some instances, insulting letters because you have passed resolutions here giving these interests a certain right of way to the pulpits. I am glad the recent General Conference made possible a commission on these questions, and I hope this Conference will, at this session, act upon the same.

In two or three instances, both last year and this, I have found that pastors have had their work made difficult or impossible because some other member of the Conference had come into the charges and spread damaging reports concerning them or their work. I want to say now that any man I discover doing this kind of work will find it very difficult to get an appointment in Burlington District while I am its superintendent; and I want to serve notice that when I have complaints again concerning a member of the Conference engaged in this work I shall object to the passage of his character. If any of you know of any reason why any man of the District is unworthy, present your charges and evidences and I will see that the matter is investigated, but do not take this tattling method of crippling another man in his work.

During the year I have given some special attention to the rural churches; in fact, spending the most of my time among these appointments. I have already mentioned Kingston, which was last year placed at the head of a student appointment. We had no work in Kingston, but because of the two appointments, Howe Chapel and Sandridge, which were close to Kingston, and which could not handily be supplied from any other charge, I felt it necessary for the future of these appointments to have the student preach there. I regretted to do this, since the Presbyterian people had maintained preaching there for several years in a hall, and there is no reason now why we should crowd each other, but since I felt that they could not possibly care for our work, and that we could only hope to succeed by planning to keep pace with any advance that might come through the new people coming into that drainage district, it seemed to me to be necessary to take up the work in the little town. The student secured a Gospel team from the College to help him at holiday time and had about twenty conversions at Howe Chapel. At the spring vacation he secured another student and held meetings at Sandridge, having about eight conversions. The meeting at Howe Chapel interested the Presbyterian people, who began to talk union of the two appointments, and ultimately led the Presbyterian people to abandon Kingston as a preaching appointment. I counseled the student to get help and try for a revival in Kingston. He secured a tent and started in the last Sabbath in July, and after running a few days he got Brother Burns of the Donnellson appointment to help him. They ran about

three weeks and received 37 into the church, 11 of whom came to us from the Presbyterian church. Howe Chapel and Kingston have been united into one class, and the Chapel will be disposed of and a new church built in Kingston. Subscriptions are now being taken for this purpose.

This last spring I sent a student, Homer Hendrickson, to Valley church, near Keokuk, and he succeeded in getting a reorganization of that church, which had been without regular preaching for several years. The people have spent about \$265 on improving the little church, and when I was down there a short time ago I found the surveyors for the Power people out there running lines, and learned that they had bought and held options on land all around the church. It looks now as though Valley church will be in the center of Keokuk's manufacturing district. I had the same student take up Prairie Chapel appointment, which was with Yarmouth Circuit last year, and also at Cairo, a little village near by, and believe that I will be able to form a Morning Sun Circuit of these two places with old Northfield church. At the latter place I have had another student, Earl Vandegriff, preaching every other Sabbath during the summer.

The Methodist Protestant churches, one near Morning Sun and one near West Point, are canvassing the matter of accepting service from our pastors, and if this should be consummated it would materially assist in forming the Morning Sun Circuit and in building up the strength of West Point Circuit. Brother Blagg of Morning Sun, has been preaching at the former place every other Sunday through the summer. The proposition from the latter place came through Brother Cochran, who recently preached in the neighborhood of this church in one of the appointments on West Point work.

I believe the time has come when we should have a committee in each District on federation. This committee to act as an advisory committee to the District Superintendent, and jointly having power to unite with the other churches where the field and opportunity is a limited one. I see no reason why two denominations of evangelical character should continue to crowd each other and make thereby impossible that either should accomplish anything, when by uniting we might do the Lord's work.

I find it difficult indeed to do the work of a District Superintendent as I think it should be done, and no doubt make many mistakes, but I am seeking to do the work as near as I know how, and in the fear of God. Respectfully submitted,

C. L. TENNANT.

MUSCATINE DISTRICT

In presenting my fifth report to the Bishop and members of the Iowa Conference, I desire to praise our Heavenly Father for his goodness and mercy which he has bestowed on us through the entire year.

We began the year with every charge supplied with a pastor. All the preachers went faithfully to their places. About the middle of the year ill health compelled Bro. F. W. Carwell to relinquish his work at Lexington and he moved to Kansas. I filled his place by changing Bro. A. H. Barker from Victor, and placing him at Lexington. Then I secured Bro. Geo. A. Osborne of the Michigan Conference, who was left without appointment to attend school at Albion, Michigan, to supply Victor. These brethren have been very acceptable and successful with the people.

Our Victor people have sold the old parsonage and built a new one costing about \$2,000. About the first of June Bro. R. J. Fisher decided to transfer to the South Kansas Conference, for several reasons that I thought good; and I secured Bro. C. H. Montgomery to fill out the year, which he has done very acceptably.

Early in the year the church at Oakville, thoroughly remodeled by Bro. H. E. Butler, pastor, was dedicated by Dr. E. A. Schell, President of Iowa Wesleyan.

About two months after the last Conference, Rev. N. A. Swickard moved into the new parsonage at Crawfordsville, which is a very fine home for the pastor, costing \$2,500.

This year our new church at Muscatine has been completed at a cost of over \$100,000, and no money will need to be raised on the day of dedication. This church is to be dedicated Sept. 15th, 1912, by Dr. C. B. Mitchell of Chicago. This church is a marvel of beauty in architecture, inside and outside, and from every viewpoint. Our people in Muscatine have achieved one of the most commendable results in church construction that I have ever seen. The site of the church is so conspicuous that all comers to Muscatine must see it, thus making its publicity a valuable feature. The interior arrangement and color scheme are comfortably convenient and bewilderingly beautiful. Dr. Grigsby and the building committee have displayed the artistic spirit in a very high degree.

In January our church in Ainsworth was destroyed by fire, but our people there, following the leadership of the pastor, Bro. J. A. Glendinning, are building a substantial brick church instead of the wooden structure that burned, and before winter the people hope to be in their new church. People ask pastor's return.

Our people at Washington are in the midst of a great building enterprise. They have secured a site one block east, and across the street from the location of the present church. The foundation

is in and the work is proceeding rapidly. This church is to be much larger than the old one, being eighty feet wide and one hundred and twenty feet long, with a conveniently arranged basement under all, and the whole especially modeled in view of furnishing Sunday School facilities. Dr. U. S. Smith has been commendably active in all this enterprise, and the people have asked his return for the sixth year.

At Marengo the people have determined to build a new church, and, with the pastor, Bro. C. R. Zimmerman, have secured a site on the paved street that leads south to the railroad station, so that all who go to or from the station must pass our church. Our District Epworth League was held at Marengo, where Bro. C. R. Zimmerman is closing successfully his first year.

Our people at Grandview have purchased, for \$1,300, a good parsonage for the pastor, Bro. E. R. Bartlett. Our people at Ladora have spent about \$1,000 in repairing the church and parsonage, making the interior of the church very beautiful, and placing a new porch and other repairs on the new parsonage, and a prosperous year has attended the labors of Dr. Richards, who closes his first year there.

At Brighton, our people under the leadership of Bro. T. S. Pool have paid off a very vexatious old debt of some \$800, which has been a burden to them for many years. The church at Wilton has been re-frescoed and the woodwork was re-varnished, and the parsonage repaired by the addition of a bathroom and fixtures, to the amount of \$500, where Bro. W. H. Dillon is closing his third year of service. On the Sweetland Circuit, at Pleasant Prairie and Moscow, Bro. Berg and the people have repaired and improved the churches at a cost of over \$500. Bro. Berg has spent two very profitable years on this charge, and is in high favor with the people.

At Guernsey, where Bro. Wm. Zabilka is closing his first year in the ministry, they have frescoed the church at a cost of about \$200.

At Lone Tree, where Bro. J. P. Hehner is closing his first year, repairs have been made on the church at River Junction, and on the parsonage property, costing about \$50. Bro. Hehner has had a very fine revival at Lone Tree, with many accessions, greatly helping the church.

Our people at North English have done some repairs on the parsonage, and are contemplating very extensive repairs in the basement of the church; they greatly feel the need of more room for the Sunday school. Bro. Munster is finishing his first year of service, and it has been a year of great success. A fine revival was held at Yankee Point on the charge, and the church greatly quickened and strengthened, numerically and spiritually.

Bro. J. C. Brown of the Rock River Conference, assisted Bro. Munster in this meeting.

At Columbus Junction, our people and the pastor, Bro. A. W. McBlain, sold the old parsonage and are building a new three-story parsonage, which will cost over \$3,000. It is a very fine, convenient and commodious home for the preacher's family, equipped with every convenience, even a special room for the pastor's study and library. At the present time it is the best parsonage in the District. All the preachers that follow him will have reason to thank Bro. McBlain for planning this home for them, as well as himself.

At Millersburg, the parsonage property has been improved, and Bro. C. L. Jordan, the pastor, has done a good year's work, and the people desire his return for another year.

At Riverside, where Bro. W. J. Scott is pastor, there has been one of the best revivals, if not the very best, that has come to that church for twenty years. The membership is almost doubled, and the spiritual life enlarged and intensified. Bro. J. C. Brown of the Rock River Conference, assisted Bro. Scott.

At Wapello, Bro. Brooks is closing his first year, with good results; the parsonage has been improved by the installment of a furnace and other features, greatly to the comfort of the preacher's family. Our first District Conference was held there.

At Wellman, Bro. Patterson has had a very successful year, and the people are contemplating whether to remodel or to build a new church. The old one is no longer sufficient for the needs of the Sunday school and congregation. It stands on a fine site, centrally located, and the church is very prosperous.

At West Chester, Bro. Rowe has done fine work, and the people desire his return.

At West Liberty all departments are well organized in the hands of Bro. M. E. Reusch, the pastor, who is closing his first year, and the people ask that Bro. Reusch be returned to them the coming year.

At Williamsburg, Bro. Baumgarten has done fine service, and the people desire his return. He has bravely raised the standard of righteousness and truth, and held it up to all people, and they appreciate this work. At Amish, Bro. Rubottom has done faithful and hard work, and is closing successfully his first year.

At Oxford, Bro. Fred. A. Smith is closing his second year. Bro. Smith has had a great year, fighting the saloons, the world, the flesh and the devil. With the aid of Bro. C. S. Cooper, the Anti-Saloon League and the Lord, he has won a great victory.

Tiffin has been supplied this year by two student preachers, Paul S. Collier in charge, and C. B. Isaac assistant; Collier at Tiffin and Isaac at North Liberty.

At Muscatine North Circuit, Bro. E. W. Stodghill is closing his second year with great success. He had good revivals, with quite a number of accessions, greatly strengthening the charge.

At Muscatine South Circuit, Bro. G. P. Badgley has done very fine and faithful work. He is closing his first year among us. He is a fine preacher, a good organizer, and also a good pastor. The charge is in the best condition it has enjoyed for several years.

Koszta has been supplied by Bro. Thomas Reese, and this is his second year there as a supply.

At Muscatine First, Dr. L. M. Grigsby is closing his second year, being without a church in which to worship. Our people used the gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A., and it is not a very churchly looking place, cold and damp in winter, hot and stuffy in the summer, with uncomfortable, clattering folding-chairs, about to break down with any person of average weight; it has been a tremendous strain on our people to hold services in such a place for more than two years, but Dr. Grigsby and our good people have done it all through, and great credit must be given them for their fortitude and fidelity.

At Letts, Bro. Barker is closing his second year, in great acceptability with his people, who desire his return. They increased the salary here \$200 this year.

At Keota, Bro. Scoles is closing his first year, and has had a very delightful and profitable year, with the universal esteem of the people.

At Kalona, Bro. W. S. Moore is closing his third year, and all three have been crowned with the very best of success, and they desire his return for the fourth year. The churches on this work are all in good condition. Our second District Conference was held at Kalona.

The Sunday Schools, the Epworth Leagues, Ladies' Aid Societies, Women's Foreign Missionary Societies, Women's Home Missionary Societies, have all been faithfully at work to build the Master's Kingdom within the bounds of our District and push the empire of our Lord beyond, even into foreign lands.

The benevolences have been looked after diligently, as the pastors' reports will show. In conclusion I would say, the material prosperity of the year has seemed to excel the spiritual prosperity, but this may be only seeming, for the material is outward, and plainly visible, while the spiritual is hidden, and secret in the heart and mind of men, and may be years in unfolding the results of work done now. I have enjoyed every hour of this year. The fellowship with the pastors and their families, and the intermingling with our heroic, willing and faithful people, have been a constant joy to me.

All over the District I have told the people that the preacher of the community is the greatest man among them; has the greatest business; is the best equipped for his work; has the best average education, and is doing the most important and necessary work of any man in their midst.

Very respectfully submitted, J. A. BOATMAN,
District Superintendent.

OSKALOOSA DISTRICT

DEAR FATHERS AND BRETHREN:—

I present this, my fourth annual report of the Oskaloosa District, gratefully acknowledging my obligation for Divine favor throughout the year, and my debt of gratitude for the hearty cooperation of my brethren, both of the ministry and laity, in all the labors of the year.

On account of one month's sickness, and a month in attendance upon the General Conference, taking almost two entire months out of the twelve, the work of the district would necessarily have suffered had it not been for the readiness of the pastors to render assistance when asked, and the additional assistance afforded by Bros. I. O. Kemble and W. N. Hall, fortunately both living in Oskaloosa and available for help in quarterly meetings near there. Through the help of these pastors and the brethren I have been able to hold, with only an exception or two, all of the four Quarterly Conferences of each charge through the year and part or whole all the quarterly meetings.

THE PASTORS.—The pastors almost without exception entered upon their fields of labor immediately after the adjournment of the Conference, and have given faithful service throughout the year. A few changes have occurred. C. N. Pace was transferred by Bishop Cranston from Knoxville to the Minnesota Conference, and G. L. Minear was changed from What Cheer to the Knoxville charge. After a little delay, during which W. N. Hall supplied the pulpit at What Cheer, L. G. Rohrbaugh was transferred from South-West Kansas Conference and stationed at What Cheer. W. N. Hall, appointed as supply on the Tracy charge, feeling that his throat would not stand the strain of special meetings, asked to be relieved, and T. A. Bruncker of Oskaloosa, was appointed in his stead. O. E. Hatfield, appointed to supply the Lacey charge, believing himself in duty bound in other directions, absented himself so much from the charge that I relieved him of the pastorate, and L. A. Moore, now present to be received on trial, was appointed

to the charge and has rendered efficient service. Several changes of relation will be asked at this session. L. R. Burdock will ask supernumerary relation on account of ill health and will go to Montana for a year. A. T. James will ask a Certificate of Location and will go to Florida, and G. D. Cox will ask to be left without appointment, to attend Boston School of Theology.

The pastors, with rare exception, have pushed with commendable zeal and energy the benevolent causes, and many of them will report "Benevolences in full," and some have even gone beyond the apportionments and will report a surplus. The most serious mistake, where any have occurred, has been the delaying taking of the benevolences until too late in the year. I am confident, however, even with this unfortunate mistake of the few, we shall report an increase as a result of the faithfulness of the many. It is a matter of congratulation that the largest gift of the year to the Endowment Fund of the of the Iowa Wesleyan College is from within the bounds of the Oskaloosa District.

The pastors have also been diligent in looking after the spiritual interests of their charges, and while there have not been many large or general revivals, yet the revival spirit has pervaded nearly all of the churches, resulting in a healthy growth and excellent spiritual conditions. Newton, Grinnell, Brooklyn, Lynnville and Sully have all been favored with gracious outpourings of the Holy Spirit, and while in some of these the results or ingatherings have not been what was expected, yet the churches have been quickened. In all cases where special evangelists have been used it has been with the consent of the District Superintendent, and these have in some cases been used with good results, but in some others with significant failures. After some years of personal experience, and somewhat extended observation, I place a large interrogation point after the suggestion of the wisdom of employing special evangelists, and have a conviction that if our people would co-operate as heartily with the pastor in revival work we would have larger results, permanent results at least, with less expenditure of time, money, and church standing.

CHURCH BUILDING, IMPROVING, ETC.—The District is fortunately so well supplied with churches and parsonages that there has been little demand for any effort in that direction. The church at Bussey, in process of erection at our last session, has been completed and was dedicated by President Schell of the Iowa Wesleyan College, free of debt. A number of improvements in churches and parsonages have been made during the year, and some are planned for the year to come.

SPECIAL AGENCIES.—We have had laboring in the District for the year two deaconesses, Miss Carrie B. Plasterer of the Chicago

Training School, and Miss Alice B. Williams of Des Moines Training School, both of whom have rendered excellent service, especially among the young people and in the Epworth and Junior Leagues. One of our number, W. P. Stoddard, living at Grinnell, has been for the year one of the Cor. Secretaries of the Iowa Methodist Hospital, his field of labor, however, not limited to the District, and the Executive Board of the Hospital, through the Board of Directors, have requested his appointment in the same relation for another year. We have also within the District the Iowa Wesleyan College President's assistant, H. N. Smith, who has proven his fitness for the position he holds by securing largely through his personal effort from within the District the largest single donation made during the year on the endowment fund now being raised for the college.

CHURCH SOCIETIES, ORGANIZATIONS, ETC. — The Sabbath Schools, almost without exception, are in excellent condition, and many of them growing in interest and numbers. The largest growth in both respects has been in the Central church at Oskaloosa, where the Sabbath School now enrolls over one thousand, many if not the majority of them, men and women, and including all the members of the Official Board. While the Epworth Leagues are not organized in all of the churches where they should be, and mostly for want of leadership, yet many of them are doing good work and maintaining Bible and Missionary Study classes. The Junior League has been organized in a number of the churches and is doing good work. The W. H. M. and the W. F. M. Societies are at work in most of the charges, and in healthy and active condition, while the Ladies' Aid Society in many charges is among the most active and potent agencies that the church has, and is doing a splendid work in keeping the churches and parsonages in good repair, and in not a few cases aiding materially in the pastor's support. The Methodist Brotherhood is, almost without exception, a failure, and the Knights of the Holy Grail, organized in several of the charges with the hope of finding a solution of the boy problem, has failed to accomplish what was hoped, and the pastors are still seeking a solution of the problem.

CHANGES.—It is a matter of regret that changes in the pastorates will occur, sometimes through the restlessness of the pastors, and sometimes through the restlessness of the people. The prospect is, however, that we shall have fewer of these than usual. A few changes will be recommended in the pastoral charges, with the aim to secure as a minimum salary \$800.00 and parsonage. All the changes to this end that had been planned will not be recommended this Conference on account of the unwillingness of the churches to acquiesce in the change, but these changes will event-

ually be made unless adequate support is forthcoming the coming year. It is a matter of gratification that the Sully charge, organized as the result of the purchase of the church property at Sully from the Methodist Protestant Church, having associated with it the Taintor and Peoria churches, has met in full its obligations to ministerial support and the benevolences, and though inconvenient for travel, will remain in its present form for another year, with confidence that by that time a better and more satisfactory adjustment can be made. The same conditions prevail in the Lynnville charge, which, though now a student charge, prefers to remain so for another year in the confidence of a better adjustment at that time than is possible now, especially as the change now would necessitate the change of pastors, which is not desired by the people. Other changes which if not made at this session will be recommended for the future will be the combining of the Harvey and Tracy charges, and as soon as proper adjustment can be made, the organization of a Knoxville Circuit. Ollie and Hayesville, formerly constituting part of the Ollie charge, will be connected with the Martinsburg circuit and served by a pastor, with an assistant.

CONFERENCES, CONVENTIONS, ETC.—Two sessions of the District Conference were held, one at What Cheer, soon after Conference, and the other at Kellogg early in June, each of them well attended and of special interest. We were favored at the session in June in having Bishop Hughes with us, whose presence and preaching were greatly appreciated. The Woman's Home Missionary Society held its convention at Montezuma, and the Woman's Foreign Society at Brooklyn, each of them successful and of special interest. The Epworth League Convention held at Brooklyn was a splendid rally of the young people of the district and inspiring to all who were there. The first District Conference of the coming year will be held at Hedrick, and as soon after the adjournment of the Conference as possible.

It is again my privilege and certainly a pleasure to welcome the Annual Conference for entertainment within the bounds of the Oskaloosa District, and it is especially so this time on account of the peculiar relation between the presiding officer, or Bishop, and this session of our Conference being held here in Newton, the place of his admission on trial on this the twenty-fifth anniversary of that event. Of course we do not want you to overlook the fact that he began his eventful career within the Oskaloosa District, was recommended for admission on trial by the District Conference of the Oskaloosa District, and was received on trial within the bounds of the Oskaloosa District by the Annual Conference, and is now presiding over the Iowa Conference at its session within the bounds of the Oskaloosa District, where he entered the itiner-

ancy twenty-five years ago; so that we have special interest and pleasure in welcoming you at this time in this place. I am confident that Newton, as did Pella two years ago, will give you such hearty welcome and royal entertainment that you will want to come again and will remind you that when you do, Oskaloosa, with its large church, its magnificent Sabbath School, its enthusiastic Epworth League, its population of more than ten thousand, its splendid street railway system, its fine equipment of automobiles, its unparalleled system of restaurants and cafes, accommodating from fifty to one hundred each at a meal; its open homes and open hearts, has the Harvard plan latch-string hanging to the outside.

It would not become me to close this report without again expressing my appreciation of pastors and people in their hearty co-operation in all my efforts to serve the district and to build up the Kingdom of Christ. I have found everywhere the heartiest welcome, the most willing co-operation, the greatest readiness to serve, and even sacrifice time and convenience or comfort, to render assistance in the arduous work of the District. One of the greatest helps, if not the greatest, has been the automobiles, almost always at my service, and a great economizer of time and strength, and somewhat of money, as they are owned and operated by others who place them at our service.

Not at all in the spirit of boasting, but with true modesty and genuine sincerity, we close this year of history of the Oskaloosa District with its year's record of unstinted labors and zeal on the part of the pastors, giving to the churches under their care their very best in the way of service and sacrifice, with the hearty co-operation in effort and support on the part of the people, with the salaries nearly all paid in full, and the benevolences, almost without exception, all taken and raised in full, with the Sabbath Schools and Epworth Leagues on the up-grade, with a vigorous and healthy spiritual condition prevailing in nearly all the charges and most of the churches, we unhesitatingly throw down the gauntlet and issue the challenge with confidence that the only thing within the Iowa Conference that will excel, or even equal, the Oskaloosa District in its record this year will be the Oskaloosa District in the year to come.

Respectfully submitted,

C. L. STAFFORD.

OTTUMWA DISTRICT

BISHOP HUGHES AND BRETHREN—

CHANGES.—Soon after Conference I was reminded of the old hymn, "Change and decay all around I see." I am glad to report that though much change there has not been decay.

Shortly after Conference, Brother Gilliland, who was appointed to Douds, transferred to an Illinois Conference, and E. C. Sandmeyer was transferred from the St. Louis Conference to fill the vacancy.

Oliver Kelso, supply at Iconium, gave up his work early in the year and C. R. Young is supplying the charge.

In the early part of November Bishop Quayle sent Bro. D. R. Martin from Albia to Muscogee, Okla., and W. H. Neil was transferred to Albia.

E. Madrigal M., having been called to his home in South America, resigned his work at Avery, which has been supplied by W. L. Simmer, a student from our Iowa Wesleyan College.

C. W. Cochran, owing to a depleted physical condition following a severe surgical operation, relinquished his work at Eddyville, which is supplied by W. E. Whitlock.

Kenneth Smith, finding his work at Floris too taxing in connection with his school work, resigned and the place has been cared for by Jesse Rudkin, local preacher from Agency.

Our pastor at Highland, W. E. Overturf, withdrew from the membership and ministry of the Methodist Episcopal church and returned to his first love, the Baptist church. Highland church was placed under the care of Brother Huff of Farson, and Epworth attached to Agency for the remainder of the year.

OUR COLLEGE.—We are gratified with the success of our college interests, and rejoice with President Schell and his assistant, Dr. H. N. Smith, in the victories of the endowment campaign. Special mention should be made of the gift of Brother and Sister Anson Powell of Cantril, who deeded a \$15,000 farm to the school on an annuity basis. Building as we are upon the foundation laid in sacrifice and with prayer, our only course worthy of our history and commensurate with the needs of the school is FORWARD. A growing loyalty of support, both of money and students, will keep this school what it ought to be,—one of the best in the middle West.

PERMANENT FUND.—Two things we have tried to keep especial track of, the interests of the education of our ministry and the provision for their old age.

Rev. J. C. Kendrick has had as much success as could have been looked for this year after the crop failures of last year, covering most of the area of our District. I hope by next Conference we will be able to report the first goal reached and a good impetus for a second of at least an equal amount.

BENEVOLENCES.—We have had an unusually difficult year for collections; nevertheless, I think we will at least measure up to

last year. The credit of this is due to the patient fidelity of the pastors and loyalty of our laymen.

BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS.—The new church at Jerome was dedicated the 17th of last December. The credit of this splendid enterprise is due the people under the leadership of my predecessor, the former pastor, James Priestnal, and the present pastor, J. H. Krenmyre.

Ottumwa First Church will expend about \$7,000 or \$8,000 on the church in the way of repairs and improvements.

Albia has made extensive repairs and improved the parsonage.

Milton is installing a heating plant which will cost some \$600.

Richland has sold their parsonage and will soon build a new one near the church.

Other repairs and improvements have put most of our properties in a good condition. We are in need of two new churches in the district.

CONFERENCES AND CONVENTIONS.—Very profitable sessions of the District Conference were held in Unionville and Eldon, respectively.

The District Epworth League Convention was held in Milton in June. The hospitality of the pastor, O. G. Orcutt, and of the Milton people, with the fine spiritual tone of the convention, made it one of the best gatherings of the year.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society held a profitable District Convention in Moulton in April.

The Foreign Missionary Society held their District Convention the latter part of the same month in Albia.

The Ottumwa churches entertained the Quarterly Meeting of the Des Moines branch July 11-12.

SUPPORT.—The majority of our charges will be in full on pastoral support, but we have some which do not pay enough to keep even a single man. We have preachers who are either using up their inheritance or mortgaging their future. It is high time for the church to arise to the dignity of being supported, not begged for.

The church stands as a community beggar, and the pastor who is treated as a mendicant can never hope to attract and hold the respect of the wide-awake business people. We do not listen long to a beggar's sermon. Of course the preacher who does not do the work should not be sent out. We cannot get on with loafers in the ministry; the church has a right to demand intelligent, industrious preachers, but it likewise must demand a respectable support. The preacher who consents to go to the place which does not offer him a support must either expect to supplement his salary or go in debt, and if the latter, when can he hope to liquidate

these obligations? The Lord raise us up Stewards who collect for the support of the church, but never "beg for the preacher."

SPIRITUAL.—The Conference year began with a good outlook for revivals, but the severe winter and bad roads greatly hindered the country work as well as in town and city. A number of gracious meetings, however, were held, and some added to the church.

Our Sunday Schools have made gains during the year, and the Epworth League is a valuable asset in most of the churches. I am of the conviction that the League devotional meeting should turn more and more to prayer and testimony, and thus develop more young people who know how to pray and testify in the public meeting.

We are praying for a mighty revival which will restore to many homes the family altar, Bible study, Sabbath-keeping and clean living, with a zeal for the honor of God and extension of His kingdom. I thank God for the blessings He has given the pastors and people of the district, and for His patience and presence with us. I have tried to do my duty and keep busy.

I appreciate the well-done work of my predecessor, and the kindness and hospitality of the ministers and laity.

Respectfully submitted,

E. J. SHOOK.

XI

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

EDUCATION

The agitation and education of the past quadrennium as to the larger service of the Board of Education, enacted into law by the recent General Conference, commands our admiration and challenges our larger endeavor. It ranks the Board of Education with the other great benevolent boards of the Church as a potential and tremendous factor of connectonal service.

The Board of Education is entitled to our heartiest sympathy and co-operation. The General Conference at Minneapolis, greatly enlarged the scope of its work and increased its responsibilities. The Children's Day Fund has aided twenty thousand young people to secure an education. The requirements of the Discipline regarding it should be strictly observed. The fund for the aid of institutions is worthy of increasing attention. The public educational collection is now divided, by the order of the last General Conference, between the local institutions and the Board of Education—twenty per cent going to the Board of Education for its Aid of Institutions Fund. The action of the General Conference providing for refunding to institutions in process of endowment a large portion or all of the above mentioned twenty per cent (see New Discipline, Par. 456), seems to us timely and considerate. It is our opinion that this will be necessary to Iowa Wesleyan College until the present forward movement for \$500,000 shall have been completed and its pledge converted into productive endowment. Certain it is this is true for the coming year. The plans of the Board Membership and for contributions to a General Fund are timely. The creation of great boards and funds outside of the Church has placed many of our colleges at a disadvantage, and there is urgent need of a larger support for our own Board of Education.

The Board merits earnest co-operation in its attempt to care for the schools among the mountaineers of the South. The influence of these schools is beyond estimate. Every pastor should get the facts and give diligent attention to this collection. This work will, hereafter, be cared for out of the twenty per cent of the Public Educational Collection, received by the Board of Education. Every dollar of shortage in the collection means serious embarrassment. The salaries of many principals, meager at best, cannot be paid unless the apportionment is raised in full.

THE CHRISTIAN STUDENT and the other publications of the Board are exceedingly valuable. We urge all our people to secure the literature now published by the Board of Education and to make themselves intelligent regarding the great educational work of the Church. The indorsement given by the General Conference to the work of the Board is a sufficient guarantee of its worth.

The importance of caring for the Methodist students in tax-supported institutions cannot be over estimated. The problem is serious and calls for immediate attention. In our opinion the burden of this budget is naturally and legitimately with the Board of Home Missions and should accrue to the benefit of churches located at the seats of tax-supported institutions which need financial aid in supporting the pastors and associate pastors necessary to give proper pastoral oversight and supervision to Methodist students attending such institutions.

We recommend the election of an annual Conference Board of Education for the Iowa Conference at its present session as called for in the Discipline, Paragraph 452. We suggest that the Conference Board of Education consist of ten members, one minister and one layman from each district, and two members at large.

IOWA WESLEYAN COLLEGE has had, what in many ways is the greatest year in its history. We are gratified to recount the large increase in the number of students and the most hearty co-operation of faculty, trustees and conference visitors. The completion of another unit of \$100,000 in our endowment campaign stirs our enthusiasm and prompts our ambition to larger achievements. The devotion to the cause of education shown in the numerous generous gifts to this second endowment unit notably in the Powell and Ealy annuity gifts is an earnest of a brighter future for this Mother of our Trans-Mississippi Colleges.

The splendid leadership of Pres. Schell and the sacrificial devotion of all those connected with him in our College work are appreciated and worthy beyond our power to express. We renew our allegiance and will exert ourselves to the utmost to keep the student-body growing in numbers, especially in the College department until Iowa Wesleyan shall have become the chosen College of a legitimate and natural proportion of the College going Methodist youth of our territory.

At the Commencement Meeting of the trustees and visitors on June 11th and 12th a resolution was passed unanimously which raises a new slogan for Iowa Wesleyan College. It is

\$500,000. IOWA WESLEYAN FORWARD MOVEMENT. \$500,000.

This Forward Movement dates with the beginning of the present endowment movement in 1907; it gives credit for the \$200,000.00 already pledged and announced. It leaves \$300,000 yet to raise. This must be completed by January 1st, 1916, under the standardization requirements of our National and State Educational Associations, and also, of our Methodist University Senate.

Out of this forward movement Iowa Wesleyan will complete its Half-Million-Endowment and have adequate resources to cover its present overdraft, shrinkage, and campaign expenses. This Forward Movement has our hearty endorsement. The prosperity of the State and Church, and the friendly attitude of men destined to become great givers to Educational endowment makes the present an exceedingly opportune time for carrying forward this great work.

Immediate support is fully as essential and important as the building of great endowments. We are already late in realizing that our educational institutions, constitute the fountain head of the Church's leadership in the ministry, the mission fields, the schools, and the ranks of the laity, and must be as generously supported as any other great benevolence in the Church. During the six years of the life of Iowa Wesleyan recent emergency fund, this Conference contributed through annual collections and emergency collections, an annual average of fully \$10,000. No money contributed by the Iowa Conference has been more profitably invested, than this. Realizing that the time has fully come to take an advance step we apportion to the Iowa Conference for the General Educational Collection, 50c per member on the basis of full membership at the last annual session, and will make this goal our objective until we attain it. That no hardship may be experienced on account of this advance we re-

commend the Administration to continue to recognize students who are worthy and needy, and properly recommended by their quarterly conferences as beneficiary students at Iowa Wesleyan on the following basis: Commencing with the year 1913 those churches contributing 33 1-3c per member; in 1914, those churches contributing 40c per member; and in 1915 and thereafter those churches contributing 50c per member. We do this with the understanding that the Board of Education will adjust with the Administration the matter of the twenty per cent, on the basis indicated in our reference above to Paragraph 456, Sec. 2, of the Discipline.

The terms of Trustees, Thos. Osborn, D. D., George T. Pulliam and J. E. Peterson having expired at this session, these same brethren are hereby re-elected conference trustees of Iowa Wesleyan College for another term of four years each.

A. B. Hightshoe is hereby elected conference visitor to Iowa Wesleyan College for the ensuing term of three years.

We hereby elect as conference visitors to our Theological Seminaries for the ensuing year as follows: Drew Theological Seminary, Chas. B. Hankins, B. D.; Garrett Biblical Institute, Hardy A. Ingam, D. D.; Boston University Theological Seminary, J. A. Glendinning, A. B.; Iliff School of Theology, H. N. Smith, Ph. D.

The American University at our Nation's Capital cannot be too highly commended. Notwithstanding 1700 applications for registration have been received at its offices it is not yet ready to open its doors for students. Its property, endowment, and annuity holdings aggregate more than two and one-half millions of value. It also has large material prospects in wills. We pray God's blessing upon it and hope it may realize its worthy and noble ambition. With the Methodist Episcopal Church for its sponsor and guide, the Protestantism of America its sympathetic friend, the Smithsonian Institution, the Carnegie Institution, the Libraries of Congress, the Departments of the National Government and various other multiform treasures of the Nation, aggregating more than half a hundred millions of value, open to its prospective students absolutely free and all these maintained at the expense and under the direction of their governing boards, the American University ought to become the greatest center of universal learning in the world.

When we can further its interests without in any way jeopardizing or hindering the progress of our other institutions, we shall have joy in the service.

Its Board of Trustees having unanimously elected John W. Hancher, Counselor of American University, we hereby request Bishop Hughes to appoint him to that position.

EPWORTH LEAGUE

Recognizing in the Epworth League plan of work an instrument of greatest blessing to the young life of Methodism, we most earnestly appeal to our Epworthians that they endeavor to make this organization a spiritual power in turning the devotional meetings more and more toward prayer and testimony, thus assisting in their quest for the "highest New Testament Standard of experience and life," and at the same time making it a training school in Christian service.

2. Recognizing the wise choice of our recent General Conference in the election of men of special ability as General Secretary and Editor of the Epworth Herald, we pledge our hearty co-operation in increasing the efficiency of the Epworth League.

3. We desire to urge upon our Epworth Leagues the great importance of classes for Bible and Mission Study, and recommend their organization on all our charges.

We pray that more and more our young Methodism shall become a mighty factor in world-evangelism.

EVANGELISM

Realizing the importance of prayer in the salvation of the lost, and recalling the mighty victories of Penticost, Wales and India—the latter so graphically brought to us by our beloved Bishop Warne—we prayerfully recommend that Thursday of the recognized week of prayer be devoted entirely to definite prayer for world wide evangelism.

Having recognized, a growing tendency to under-estimate the old time type of revival, while not in any way condemning or detracting from any other method, we earnestly call our Conference and all of our people to renewed consecration to the former Biblical and Historic method, and further urge that in all revival effort emphasis be laid upon the conversion of the youth and personal evangelism by heart to heart contact.

We earnestly recommend that each District Superintendent as soon as possible secure a suitable evangelist from among the members of the Conference to work continuously on his district, placing him throughout the conference year where in his judgment he will be most needed; said evangelist to receive reasonable support, such support to be paid from a fund created in each district for such purpose, to be raised in part at least from the free will offerings of the people where the meetings are held.

Prompted by the addresses of Bishop Hughes, as well as personal observation, we call attention to the fact that there is a growing tendency to desert the Sunday night service; and having noted that the pastors who have no Sunday night problem are the ones who are preaching the Glorious old Gospel without any sensational embellishments, without presuming to be dictatorial, we earnestly recommend that all our pastors make their Sunday night services evangelistic.

LOCAL PREACHERS' ADDRESSES

Burlington District

T. G. Harper, Burlington; C. E. Ward, Fairfield; R. L. Williamson, Farmington; A. C. Wustrow, Keokuk; Henry B. Barnes, Keokuk; Homer Hendrickson, Mount Pleasant; J. K. George, Mount Pleasant; W. T. Thrasher, New London.

Muscatine District

Thomas Reese, Pella; M. Y. Howe, Muscatine; C. E. Fitzsimmons, Nichols; A. Darbyshire, Washington.

Oskaloosa District

James S. Horner, New Sharon; D. D. Downs, Oskaloosa; J. E. Cavin, Tracey; E. O. Rankin, Attica; S. A. Osborn, Oskaloosa; J. R. Russel, Tracy; Charles Spencer, Attica.

Ottumwa District

John Chacey, Richland; Russel Nye, Agency; D. Exline, Exline; J. W. Cheany, Keosauqua; A. C. Caughlan, Ottumwa; Ezra Cary, Ottumwa; Robert A. Hall, Ottumwa; Job Hyde, Ottumwa; H. K. Smith, Hedrick.

According to Conference Assignment

J. J. Pritchard; D. W. Witham; George Kimberlin.

TEMPERANCE

1. We approve of our own Church Temperance Society as our agency for the education and promotion of total abstinence among our people and recommend that the provision of the Discipline be carried out in all our charges.

2. For reasons of justice and fairness to states and Communities who have freed themselves from the liquor curse, we therefore urge our Senators and Representatives in Congress to support, both with their influence and votes, the Kenyon-Shepherd bill now pending and to vigorously oppose the efforts of the liquor interests of the country to delay or defeat it.

3. We are unalterably opposed to the enactment of any measure looking toward the restoration of the sale of intoxicants in our army canteens.

4. We rejoice in the strong endorsement of the work and methods of the Anti-Saloon League by our last General Conference and we desire without reserve to state that for Iowa, we believe the League methods to be the safe, sane and effective way to drive the saloon from our borders, and ultimately to secure such amendments to our State Constitution as shall forever prohibit the liquor traffic in Iowa.

5. We hereby unqualifiedly express our unreserved confidence in the moral and christian integrity of the officers and management of the Iowa Anti-Saloon League.

6. We believe it would result in a great calamity to our State should the Shankland bill become a law. The secret ballot is what the liquor man wants, and what the liquor man wants for his traffic's sake we must oppose for the sake of our homes.

7. We hereby nominate C. L. Stafford and C. L. Tennant to represent us on the board of trustees of the Iowa Anti-Saloon League and request the re-appointment by the Bishop of C. S. Cooper as Anti-Saloon League District Superintendent and urge that the pulpits of every church in the Conference be open once a year to permit the presentation of his work and give our people a chance to hasten its success. The time of the presentation to be fixed by the pastor in consultation with the District Superintendent.

8. We have enjoyed the visit and addresses of Dr. Clarence True Wilson, of Topeka, Kansas, General Secretary of the Church Temperance Society and cordially invite him to visit us again.

FOREIGN MISSIONS

We are profoundly moved by the crisis upon us, the foreign fields being white unto harvest and our Boards having insufficient means to meet the needs of the hour. As a church at home we ought at once, to faithfully lay on the altar God's tithe; to adequately increase our workers by a revival tide that consecrates to "Here am I send me," the noblest of our young people in Sunday Schools, Epworth Leagues, and Colleges; and to adjust our administration for largest effectiveness.

We appreciate the splendid work of our missionaries—most of them carrying burdens far too great for them to long endure without additional workers and means. We regret deeply that their conservative estimates made on the fields are reduced a half or even three fifths by the home Boards in supply.

Through the "Commission on Finance," we expect splendid things. We shall do all we can as a conference to help place in their hands the \$4,000,000, instead of the \$2,800,000, now given by the church. To this end we urge the general use of the duplex envelope system.

We have been cheered by the presence and words of Bishop F. W. Warne and Dr. S. P. Craver.

With India's converts, in our Methodist Episcopal mission alone, coming continuously from heathenism, for the last six years at the rate of two hundred a month; with the church in Latin America steadily growing and spiritually deepening for greater conquests; with China, a nation born in a day, appealing to those who led her into the light to give her at once every possible assistance to take step with christendom and modern civilization; and with the whole world every where increasingly calling for missionaries and means, we must move forward and keep step with the Providence of God.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY

We note with joy and gratitude the achievements of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. We recognize the imperative need of this organization, its ever enlarging field of opportunity and pledge to it our hearty co-operation.

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MISCELLANEOUS REPORTS AND RESOLUTIONS

DEACONESS BOARD

The following resolutions are presented for your adoption:

Resolved, That the Graham Protestant Hospital, located at Keokuk, which is destined in the near future to become one of the greatest manufacturing centers in the world, deserves our utmost confidence because of its capable internal administration by the Deaconesses of the Women's Home Missionary Society, its excellent equipment, its magnificent location for the largest service to humanity, and its record of service already rendered as follows:

Number of patients treated.....	241
Number receiving free service.....	16
Number of weeks of service.....	90
Income from Patients	\$8869.30
Number of Deaconesses	2
Number in training	12
Value of Plant	\$43,000.00
Indebtedness.....	\$14,500.00

We hereby express our appreciation of this enterprise of the Women's Home Missionary Society and assure our sisters of continued hearty sympathy and support.

Resolved, that we cordially recommend to the favorable consideration of our Methodist young womanhood the opportunities for preparation for the best service, afforded by the Bidwell Deaconess Home and Training School, and are highly gratified with the plans for increased efficiency approaching completion.

The report of charges with their amount paid for employment of Deaconesses for the year is as follows:

Hedrick, Miss Williams	\$ 18 50
Knoxville, Miss Williams	63 00
Washington, Miss Jericho	50 00
Burlington, First Church, Miss Hopkinson.....	384 00
Fremont, Miss Plasterer	9 00
New Sharon, Miss Plasterer	10 00
Deep River, Miss Plasterer	60 00
What Cheer, Miss Plasterer ..	48 00

Total reported\$642 50

DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS

We, your committee, find that the records of the various district conferences have been neatly kept. We are unable to judge from any standard as the General Conference has failed to indicate what constitutes a correct record. We would recommend that the General Conference indicate what constitutes a correct record.

H. C. MILLICE,
P. M. CONANT,
O. J. FIX,
EDW. STODGHILL.

BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION

The Secretary of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension makes report as follows:

The Board has held two meetings; one at Conference at Fairfield, Ia., Sept. 11th, 1911, and one at Newton, Ia., Sept. 5th, 1912.

At Fairfield the Board was reorganized and the officers elected for the year.

The receipts and expenditures have been as follows:

To Sully on the Oskaloosa District.....	\$300 00
To the Ottumwa Dist. for Home Missions.....	\$487 50
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	\$787 50

At the Newton meeting it was recommended that Kingston on the Burlington District receive from the Church Extension funds \$200.00 as a donation; and that Harrison Ave., Burlington, receive, from the Home Missionary funds, \$100.00 and that the Ottumwa District receive Home Missionary funds as follows:

Avery.....	\$150 00
Troy.....	50 00
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	\$200 00

H. B. SCOLES, Sec'y.

INTER-CONFERENCE COMMISSION

In accordance with the instructions of the Fall Conferences of 1911, your Commission called an Iowa State Convention, February 13-14, 1912, in First Methodist Episcopal church, Des Moines, Iowa. Bishop McDowell of Chicago presiding.

In this the second State Convention of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Iowa Methodism was well represented. Seventeen out of twenty-one District Superintendents were in attendance, laymen, young and older, were prominent on the program and in committee, the five Methodist Colleges were officially represented, ministers from all parts of the State were gathered together and the now sainted Emory Miller, who was a member of the first State Convention held in 1881, was present to give us his benediction.

The chief subjects presented to and discussed by the Convention were: The Rural Church, The Church and Labor, Iowa's Educational Problems, Interdenominational Comity, The Liquor Traffic; these being of general interest to all Iowa Methodists. These subjects were ably presented by men known to be specialists and discussed freely by the members of the Convention.

The Convention requested the appointment of a Committee by the President of the Convention to meet with like Committees from other Evangelical bodies to prepare a tentative proposition for federation; said committee to consist of one member of each Conference of Iowa. This joint committee consisting of members of the Baptist, Congregational, Disciples, Protestant, Episcopalian, Methodist Episcopal, Presbyterian and United Presbyterian churches met in Des Moines April 18th, 1912, and the accompanying preamble and constitution was agreed upon as a basis for christian co-operation within the State.

Your Commission suggests that the six representatives to which the Methodist Episcopal Church is entitled in this proposed Federal Council be selected as follows: One from each of the Federated Conferences, and two at large to be chosen by the residing Bishop.

The appointment of a pastor for Methodist Students in State Educational Institutions is highly important. The field of opportunity is great. The general plan is being followed with success by other denominations. In Iowa the plan proposed has met with cordial reception. Some of the District Superintendents have stated that the appeal for aid has been received with most hearty response. The plan called forth praise from our Board of Education and among those who are urging the movement are Brown College Presidents in Iowa. During the present year money has been raised towards the support of one or more such pastors for students. Each District in the State was asked to provide \$100. It is certain that at least one pastor for students can be supported the coming year. The matter of appointment of such pastor is in the hands of the presiding Bishop, together with the District Superintendent and the Pastor where such State Educational Institution may be located. The pastor for students is to be called University or College Pastor; and his work, under the approval and supervision of the resident pastor, shall be devoted solely to the student life and needs in the neighboring College or University. His support shall be provided by the Inter-Conference Commission of Iowa, unless otherwise arranged.

We recommend that the Annual Conferences endorse our plan of work, provide for the apportionment of \$100 per District, under the supervision of the District Superintendent, elect the representatives required from Each Annual Conference on the Inter-Conference Commission, and otherwise authorize the further labors of this Commission.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Commission,
ELIAS HANDY, Chairman.
O. W. FIFER, Treasurer.
ROLLO F. HURLBURT, Secretary.
Executive Committee.

HOSPITAL VISITORS

The Iowa Methodist Hospital began its ministry of healing in a modest way, eleven and one-half years ago, opening its doors for service in Jan. 1901, with an equipment of thirty beds. It treated, during its first year, about three hundred patients. The growth of the institution has been phenomenal. It is now housed in a building of magnificent proportions, with an equipment of two hundred and fifty beds. Last year it cared for 2835 patients. Service has been rendered to 15366 patients up to Jan. 1, 1912.

The institution is well equipped with modern appliances, for the treatment of all forms of disease: Operating rooms, Sterilizing rooms, X-Ray, Mechano Therapy and Orthopedic departments. All are prepared to do thoroughly the work for which they are intended.

The hospital has a very high record for the successful treatment of disease, maintaining a low death rate. Some of the cures effected are little less than miraculous. The hospital does not pose as a

charitable institution, nevertheless it does a great deal of charity work. Last year it did free work, including surgical and medical service, amounting to more than \$40,000.

Methodist preachers and their wives residing in the state and needing treatment are received as guests of the hospital without charge.

Your visitors, who had the privilege of visiting the hospital more than once during the year were shown every courtesy by the Superintendent, W. T. Graham. Every department was open for our inspection. We found evidence on every hand of good management.

The hospital is worthy of the hearty support of Iowa Methodists. We recommend it to those who may need the service of such an institution.

The Rev. W. P. Stoddard has rendered valuable service to the hospital as corresponding secretary and we recommend his appointment for the coming year. We nominate for election as members of the Board of Directors: C. L. Stafford, J. M. McClelland and G. L. Minear; as visitors, W. H. Perdeu and H. F. Gilbert.

G. H. HANAWALT,

G. L. MINEAR,

Whereas the Iowa Methodist Hospital is the property of the Methodist Episcopal Church and receives the loyal support and patronage of the Methodism of Iowa and whereas there should be a very close and sincere affiliation of the interests of the hospital and our people for the great services and ministry the Hospital renders to all who need its care, therefore,

Resolved, that this conference respectfully request the Board of Directors of the Methodist Hospital, at its annual meeting in October to constitute its Executive Committee of seven as follows: One member to be elected from each of the English speaking conferences of the state, such member to be selected from the directors elected by each respective Conference, the representative to be nominated by the directors from each Conference; the other three members of the Executive Committee to be nominated and elected by the Board of Directors.

Resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded through the secretary of the Conference to the other English-speaking Conferences of the state, and a copy to the secretary of the Board of Directors.

J. F. ROBERTSON,

F. C. EDWARDS.

PERMANENT FUND

TO THE IOWA ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

Brethren: Herewith I submit my report as Treasurer of the Iowa Conference Permanent Fund, from Sept. 6th, 1911, to September 4th, 1912. A detailed account of all money received and paid out, also of the securities held by the treasurer has been made to Rev. J. C. Kendrick, President of the Board. This statement shows the net result as follows:

Cash in Bank	\$ 726 85
Notes and Securities held as per detailed account.....	26438 51
Fairfield Property	1500 00

Total assets Sept. 4th, 1912.....	\$28665 36
Total assets Sept. 6th, 1911.....	23478 64

Net Gain for the year.....	\$ 5186 72
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The increase in assets for the year have been received from the following sources:

From J. C. Kendrick.....	3950 00
From Mrs. L. G. Murphy, securities on annuity.....	1350 09
Interest collected	1262 49

Total Increase	\$ 6562 49
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Less expenses as follows:

Interest paid out.....	\$ 69 82
L. G. Murphy Annuity.....	99 00
Moore Annuity	50 00
Filing Papers	4 70
Expenses	3 25
Expenses to Mrs. L. G. Murphy.....	10 00
Box Rent	4 00
Annual Dividend	1000 00
Treasury Bond	75 00
Interest refunded on Cereal Bond Coupons.....	60 00
	\$ 1375 77

Net Gain	\$ 5186 72
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CHRIS. HAW, Treas.

Report of J. C. Kendrick, financial secretary of the Conference Permanent fund:

Dear Brethren:

I submit my report as follows:

Subscriptions taken during the year.....	\$6340 00
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In addition to the subscriptions taken several bequests have been reported.

Cash and securities received.....	6926 66
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Expenses as follows:—

Salary.....	\$1200 00
House Rent	150 00
Postage.....	68 98
Traveling Expenses	134 06
Printing.....	38 40
Taxes and repairs on Fairfield house.....	35 22

Total.....	\$1626 66	1626 66
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Balance turned into Treasury.....	\$5300 00
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J. C. KENDRICK.

BUSINESS MANAGER OF PUBLISHING BOARD

Receipts—	
Balance from last year	\$130 00
Received from ads	50 00
Sale of Year Books	248 00
Total.....	\$428 00
Expenses—	
Printing.....	\$253 00
Express.....	50 00
Expenses Secretary	18 00
Balance on hand	102 00
Total.....	\$428 00

NON-CONNECTIONAL COMMITTEE.

Your Committee on Non-Connectional Interests report and recommend that the agent of the Anti-Saloon League be admitted to our pulpits; the Committee also approves of the work of the Iowa Methodist Hospital and recommend that our pastors make such arrangements with the agents of the Hospital as shall be mutually agreeable for the presentation of the work.

H. A. INGHAM, Chairman.

J. M. McCLELLAN, Sec'y.

Joint Committee on Entertainment

The Joint Committee reports the following resolution:

Moved and seconded that this Commission recommend the following plan for the entertainment of the Annual Conference:

Lodging and breakfast to be provided by the charge entertaining the Conference, and an allowance of seventy-five (75c) per day for time in attendance to cover expense of dinner and supper be granted each member, probationer and supply in the Conference, this amount to be apportioned by the District Superintendent and his Board of Stewards on the basis of the benevolences of the charge, this fund to be placed at the disposal of the Entertainment Committee and any balance remaining to be held until the next Conference.

Should this balance at any time become enough to cover all entertainment, no levy shall be made by the District Superintendent.

If the balance should not be large enough to accomplish this, the levy must be only large enough to cover the deficiency.

U. S. SMITH.

H. WALTER HARMER, Sec'y.

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STEWARDS' AND TRUSTEES' REPORT

Status of the Permanent Fund.

Cash and interest bearing securities in the hands of C. Haw,
Treasurer.....\$28555 36

Officers.

The terms of office of J. C. Kendrick, President, of C. Haw, Treasurer, and of C. R. Zimmerman, Secretary, expire with this session of the Conference. A. B. Hightshoe, J. W. Pool and R. G. Popham constitute the Executive Committee.

The appointment of J. C. Kendrick Financial Secretary of the permanent fund for the ensuing year is requested of the Bishop.

Apportionment.

The claims of the conference funds approximate \$12,000. The dividends from the Book Concern, the Chartered Fund and the Iowa Conference Permanent Fund approximate \$4000, leaving \$8000 to be raised by the Conference. An apportionment of 4 per cent of the amount paid in cash for pastoral support for the past year is recommended to the various charges for the ensuing year.

Relinquishments.

The following voluntarily relinquish their claim on the annuity fund:

I. N. Busby	J. M. Coats	T. B. Hughes
Mrs. F. W. Adams	Mrs. E. H. Codington	Mrs. J. W. Lewis
Mrs. W. E. Patterson	Mrs. J. T. Simmons	Mrs. M. B. Wayman

Receipts.

Balance from last year.....	\$ 70 00
Conference Collections	5222 00
Dividend from Book Concern.....	2260 00
Dividend from Chartered Fund	30 00
Connectional Special Fund	350 00
Interest on Permanent Fund.....	1000 00
Total.....	\$8932 00

Disbursements.

Annuity Fund	\$4707 00
Conference Special Fund	3845 00
Connectional Special Fund	261 00
Incidental Fund	119 00
	\$8932 00

Retired Ministers.

Name	No. of Years.	Annuity Fund	Special Fund	Total
J. H. Armacost.....	14	\$ 70.	\$	\$ 70.
Daly, E. S.	20	100.		100.
Barton, J. G.	29	145.		145.
Bevan, D. C.	33	165.	135.	300.
Byrkit, G. W.	45	225.	175.	400.
Corley, J. E.	37	185.		185.

Coxe, J. C. W.	35	175.		175.
Crull, L. A.	16	80.	95.	175.
Davis, John	35	175.	175.	350.
Fraker, J. W.	19	95.	205.	300.
Groom, W. N.	30	150.		150.
Haines, A. W.	33	165.		165.
Hall, W. N.	27	135.		135.
Kendrick, A. V.	38	190.	210.	400.
Montgomery, C. H.	33	165.		165.
Norton, C. R.	31	155.	95.	250.
Phelps, W. A.	13	65.	35.	100.
Pugh, H. F.	36	180.	120.	300.
Runyon, H.	6	30.	95.	125.
Smith, D. C.	40	200.		200.
Stryker, W. R.	26	130.	155.	285.
Waring, E. H.	30	150.	75.	225.
Wilson, W. G.	39	195.	105.	300.
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		\$3325.	\$1675.	\$5000.

Women.

Berry, Mrs. E. C.	9	23.	27.	50.
Boydston, Mrs. B. M.	25	63.	137.	200.
Brush, Mrs. F. E.	22	55.	145.	200.
Burgess, Mrs. John	27	68.	32.	100.
Coiner, Mrs. E. T.	6	15.	10.	25.
Coleman, Mrs. J. T.	34	85.	190.	275.
Freeland, Mrs. J. S.	10	25.	75.	100.
Gillmore, Mrs. W. F.			100.	100.
Hare, Mrs. M. H.	20	50.	50.	100.
Haynes, Mrs. John	24	60.	115.	175.
Latham, Mrs. J. W.	12	30.		30.
Mair, Mrs. W. F.			100.	100.
McDonald, Mrs. J. W.	27	68.		68.
Murphy, Mrs. Dennis	36	90.		90.
Pike, Mrs. E. J.	36	90.	175.	265.
Potter, Mrs. John	27	68.		68.
Powelson, Mrs. C. W.	19	48.		48.
Robertson, Mrs. J. F.	21	53.	247.	300.
Roovart, Mrs. J. A.	4	10.	15.	25.
Shane, Mrs. B. F.	36	90.	175.	265.
Shepherd, Mrs. C. W.	24	60.	140.	200.
Sinclair, Mrs. J. A.	20	50.	100.	150.
Sowden, Mrs. S. P.	17	43.	107.	150.
Teeter, Mrs. I. P.	47	118.		118.
Thomas, Mrs. S. H.	15	38.	137.	175.
Williams, Mrs. C. F.	22	55.	45.	100.
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		\$1355.	\$2122.	\$3477.

Children.

Jackson, Eunice	7	9.	16.	25.
Roovart, Gerald	4	5.	20.	25.
Dunlavy, Ethel	10	13.	12.	25.
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		\$27.	\$48.	\$75.

Widows of Deceased Ministers

Mrs. Erasmus T. Coiner,	Mrs. James T. Coleman,
Mrs. Manasseh B. Wyman,	Mrs. Chas. W. Shepherd,
Mrs. Isaac I. Stewart,	Mrs. John W. Lewis,
Mrs. Michael H. Hare,	Mrs. S. H. Thomas,
Mrs. James W. Latham,	Mrs. S. P. Souden,
Mrs. Eli H. Coddington,	Mrs. I. P. Teeter,
Mrs. John Wheeler,	Mrs. B. M. Boydston,
Mrs. J. S. Freeman,	Mrs. John Burgess,
Mrs. Robert J. Allison,	Mrs. James Haynes,
Mrs. John Haynes,	Mrs. W. F. Gilmore,
Mrs. C. P. Reynolds,	Mrs. W. C. Van Schoiack,
Mrs. J. W. McDonald,	Mrs. J. T. Simmons,
Mrs. R. G. Wilson,	Mrs. E. J. Pike,
Mrs. D. Murphy,	Mrs. C. F. Williams,
Mrs. J. F. Robertson,	Mrs. B. F. Shane,
Mrs. W. E. Patterson,	Mrs. F. E. Brush,
Mrs. C. W. Powelson,	Mrs. F. W. Evans,
Mrs. J. A. Roovaart,	Nrs. J. A. Sinclair,
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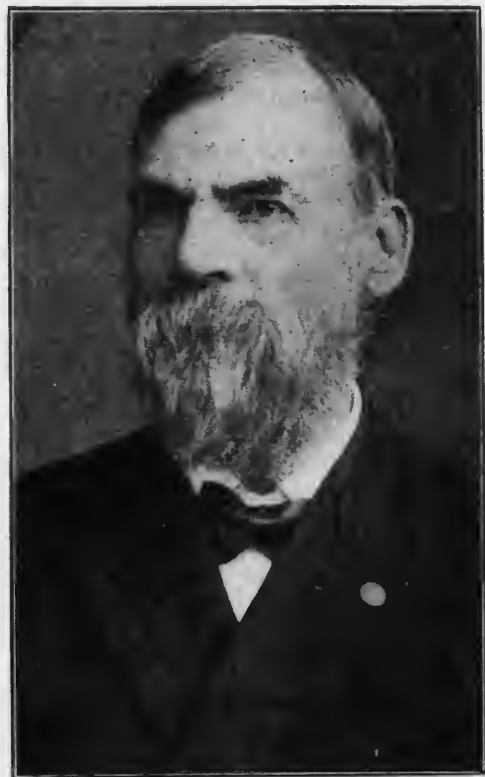
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John Potter was born in Yorkshire, England, June 7th, 1843, and died at his home in Newton, Iowa, May 20th, 1912, aged 68 years, 11 months, 13 days. Brother Potter came with his parents to America when he was six years of age. They first settled in Oneida county, New York, remaining there for two and a half years, when they moved to Morgan county, Illinois. Here he was residing when the Civil War broke out. He enlisted as a private, August 6th, 1862, in Company I, 101st Illinois Infantry, served honorably his country and was mustered out June 7th, 1865.



Soon after the war he moved to Jasper county, Iowa, when on October 11, 1866, he was united in marriage to Angeline F. Sparks, who with his two sons, Charles H., of Lynnville; J. W., of Wilton Junction, their wives, three grandchildren and three brothers and four sisters survive him.

Brother Potter was a man who had an intense love for his country which he manifested on every occasion. He served as Chaplain of the Department of the G. A. R. in Iowa in 1905, and 1907 was a delegate to the National Encampment at Saratoga, New York. His "Personal Memoirs of the War" has had a wide circulation.

His early life was engaged in farming. Converted in 1869 he he soon felt his call to the ministry, and in 1870 was admitted on trial in the Iowa Conference at Albia, Bishop E. R. Ames presiding. The large class of that year was composed of D. C. Bevan, J. W. Chaffin, Charles Dailey, T. C. George, J. L. King, J. P. Leonard, T. C. Miller,

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In the absence of his pastor, Rev. W. H. Perdew, at General Conference in Minneapolis, Brother Potter had filled the pulpit the Sunday



morning before, and presided at the Baccalaureate service in the evening; had been about his accustomed labor Monday, retiring in his usual health. About 10:30 he aroused his wife by his labored breathing who attempted to rouse him, and called for help, but ere help arrived his spirit had taken its flight.

John Potter was born in Yorkshire, England, June 7th, 1843, and died at his home in Newton, Iowa, May 20th, 1912, aged 68 years, 11 months, 13 days. Brother Potter came with his parents to America when he was six years of age. They first settled in Oneida county, New York, remaining there for two and a half years, when they moved to Morgan county, Illinois. Here he was residing when the Civil War broke out. He enlisted as a private, August 6th, 1862, in Company I, 101st Illinois Infantry, served honorably his country and was mustered out June 7th, 1865.

Soon after the war he moved to Jasper county, Iowa, when on October 11, 1866, he was united in marriage to Angeline F. Sparks, who with his two sons, Charles H., of Lynnville; J. W., of Wilton Junction, their wives, three grandchildren and three brothers and four sisters survive him.

Brother Potter was a man who had an intense love for his country which he manifested on every occasion. He served as Chaplain of the Department of the G. A. R. in Iowa in 1905, and 1907 was a delegate to the National Encampment at Saratoga, New York. His "Personal Memoirs of the War" has had a wide circulation.

His early life was engaged in farming. Converted in 1869 he soon felt his call to the ministry, and in 1870 was admitted on trial in the Iowa Conference at Albia, Bishop E. R. Ames presiding. The large class of that year was composed of D. C. Bevan, J. W. Chaffin, Charles Dailey, T. C. George, J. L. King, J. P. Leonard, T. C. Miller,

W. E. Patterson, John Potter, C. L. Stafford, A. J. Van Cleave and W. G. Wilson. His work was: 1870, Millersburg; 1871 Lancatser; 1872 Hamilton; 1874 Chillicothe; 1876 Durham; 1878 Albia circuit; 1879 Unionville; 1880 Koszta; 1881 Pleasant Hill (Amish); 1883 Kellogg; 1884 Lynnville; 1885 Richland; 1886 transferred to South Kansas Conference, Beulah, '86; Mound City '87. 1888 returned to Iowa Conference and stationed at Eddyville; 1890 Supernumerary; 1891 Rose-Hill; 1893 Knoxville circuit; 1894 Ewart; 1896 Supernumerary; 1899 Exline; 1902 Nichols; 1903 Supernumerary; 1905 Taintor. Since his superannuation he has made his home in Newton. Brother Potter was a faithful servant of the Lord. He received one thousand persons into the church, united two hundred couples in marriage, and officiated at three hundred and fifty funerals.

He was a close student of the church and was one of the staunch, old-time Methodists. For forty-six years he had been a regular reader of the Central Christian Advocate. The writer has often heard him tell of his great longing for the advancement of the Kingdom of God among men.

Out of the large class admitted in 1870 W. G. Wilson, D. C. Bevan and C. L. Stafford remain as members of the conference, C. L. Stafford being the only one in active work, presided at the funeral at Newton, May 24th, assisted by F. S. Seeds, Rev. Geo. Furniss of the Presbyterian church, who preached the Baccalaureate sermon Sunday evening, H. C. Millice, Rev. R. F. Jamison of the United Presbyterian church, and J. M. McClelland. Other members of the conference present were, I. O. Kemble and A. N. Courtney. Others present were Evangelist Rev. Hamilton and Prof. Heaton, with whom he had recently labored in special services in Newton, and Rev. W. L. Bright, of the Lutheran church.

The music was furnished by a double quartet from the church choir, Mrs. T. M. Rogers, Mrs. R. L. Arnold, Mrs. Grace Allen, Miss Blanche Maytag, R. L. Arnold, J. A. Winger, T. H. Maytag and Fred Hough. Prof. Heaton, greatly loved by Brother Potter, sang a beautiful solo.

The G. A. R. Post of Newton, of which Brother Potter was an honored member and which furnished the pall bearers, and the W. R. C. attended in a body, the large church being filled to pay the last tribute to one whom they held in the highest esteem. He was a lover of his church and its pastor and was warm in his support of all that pertained to the upbuilding of the church.

At the close of the service the Ladies Aid Society furnished a lunch to the funeral party who then took the train for Lynnville, where the services were in charge of H. C. Millice, assisted by A. N. Courtney. The burial service of the church being used, the G. A. R. then gave their beautiful service, "Taps" were sounded and the body of John Potter, Soldier for his country and his Christ, was at rest.

H. C. MILLICE.

XV

ENTERED INTO REST

Ministers

NAMES	BIRTH	DEATH	MINISTRY
Ferree, Uriah	August 7, 1813	1846	1841-1846
Knight, Wm. W.	October 20, 1817	May 28, 1847	1844-1847
Arrington, Joel		July 20, 1851	1833-1851
Ockerman, Joseph	1812	Aug. 27, 1850	1842-1850
Vail, Solomon T.	1814	July 28, 1852	1849-1852
Jamison, Joseph		1853	
Bishop, Alfred		1853	1851-1853
Wright, Ansel		1854	1847-1854
Jay, John	1819	Jan. 1, 1859	1845-1859
Clark, Samuel	1800	Feb. 9, 1857	1821-1857
McClasky, Isaac	June 11, 1811	Feb. 27, 1860	1837-1860
Conrad, Geo. W.	December 15, 1836	April 28, 1860	1857-1860
Hammond, J. Q.	June 9, 1809	March 23, 1863	1847-1863
Coiner, Erasmus T.	February 2, 1832	June 28, 1862	1857-1862
Byrkit, Wm. A.	November 4, 1838	July 2, 1863	1860-1863
Simpson, Wm.	January 22, 1812	Feb. 22, 1864	1837-1864
Wayman, Manasseh	April 9, 1836	July 2, 1864	1857-1864
Stewart, Issac I.	August 4, 1806	Aug. 15, 1864	1837-1860
Bussey, Amos	November 20, 1806	Jan. 18, 1865	1837-1865
Worthington, David	February 13, 1815	March 1, 1866	1840-1866
Crelin, Henry	March 19, 1820	Jan. 1, 1867	1856-1866
Boyles, Thomas D.	August 30, 1817	Dec. 16, 1867	1855-1866
Hare, Michael H.	December 23, 1817	July 27, 1868	1845-1868
Elliott, Charles	May 16, 1792	Jan. 6, 1869	1818-1859
Bamford, George W.	March 23, 1824	April 18, 1871	1854-1871
Latham, James W.	July 23, 1830	Jan. 1, 1872	1854-1865
Donaldson, D.	March 22, 1828	July 21, 1872	1854-1872
Elliott, John	December 8, 1842	Sept. 5, 1872	1868-1872
Powers, John H.	March 15, 1798	Jan. 26, 1873	1821-1873
Prathor, Amos S.	April 17, 1832	April 1, 1873	1857-1873
White, James W.	August 2, 1814	July 17, 1873	1837-1861
Friend, George	February 21, 1818	Oct. 21, 1873	1855-1873
Gortner, B. W.	May 22, 1849	Aug. 21, 1874	1872-1874
Smith, David D.	August 3, 1825	Mar. 30, 1875	1869-1875
Coddington, Eli H.	July 1, 1837	July 30, 1877	1866-1872
Hugans, John W.		April 12, 1878	1873-1878
Ludwig, Silas T.		July 20, 1878	1877-1878
Harris, John	June 5, 1809	July 29, 1881	1845-1875
Wheeler, John	April 7, 1815	June 18, 1881	1855-1881
Holland, Benjamin	April 11, 1819	Jan. 17, 1883	1853-1874
Holtzinger, P. F.	January 6, 1816	May 20, 1883	1843-1885
Robinson, Richard S.	March 2, 1807	May 6, 1884	1829-1878
Woodford, L. C.	May 21, 1813	Sept. 3, 1884	1841-1854
Freeland, J. S.	August 23, 1845	Jan. 2, 1885	1871-1881
Berry, Ebon C.	October 6, 1845	June 30, 1885	1876-1880
McDowell, Joseph	July 11, 1797	Oct. 16, 1885	1833-1869
Kirkpatrick, T. M.	June 5, 1813	Mar. 10, 1886	1837-1875
Johnson, Allen W.	May 18, 1819	June 27, 1887	1843-1875
Allison, Robert J.	September 2, 1855	Sept. 3, 1888	1884-1888
Hayden, John	December 16, 1812	July 10, 1888	1841-1865
Haynes, John	March 31, 1833	April 16, 1888	1859-1888
Gasner, Joseph	September 27, 1811	Mar. 26, 1889	1836-1879
Morey, Cyrus	April 11, 1816	Mar. 27, 1890	1851-1886
Blackney, James B.	September 24, 1827	June 19, 1890	1850-1890
McCutcheon, James H.	July 3, 1812	Nov. 24, 1890	1839-1862
Reynolds, C. P.	December 25, 1821	June 26, 1891	1853-1885
Wiley, G. F. W.	1821	June 21, 1892	1874-1885
Hestwood, S.	August 16, 1822	June 22, 1892	1853-1892
Power, G. N.	March 3, 1829	Oct. 26, 1892	1859-1892
Orr, John	October 20, 1817	Feb. 2, 1893	1869-1893
Smith, S. C.	July 29, 1841	May 22, 1893	1879-1892
McDonald, J. W.	March 13, 1834	May 31, 1893	1866-1893

NAMES	BIRTH	DEATH	MINISTRY
Wilson, R. G.	July 5, 1858.	June 2, 1894	1883-1894
Dunn, C. S. H.	Jan. 7, 1855.	August 17, 1894	1880-1892
Shelton, O. C.	1816	September 5, 1894	1836-1888
Murphy, D.	June 27, 1883.	January 29, 1895	1858-1995
Clark, G. H.	1828	April 16, 1895	1851-1878
Posten, Wm.	July 5, 1825	Dec. 11, 1895	1855-1885
Robertson, J. F.	July 23, 1851	July 24, 1896	1877-1896
Patterson, W. E.	May 29, 1845	Feb. 1, 1897	1871-1897
Burgess, John	May 2, 1821	May 6, 1897	1843-1873
Twining, E. W.	Oct. 5, 1814	May 24, 1897	1846-1876
Corkhill, T. E.	April 24, 1822	June 30, 1897	1851-1890
Mair, Walter F.	December 17, 1861	Dec. 30, 1897	1887-1897
Coleman, James T.	September 8, 1817	Jan. 29, 1898	1847-1881
Allender, Richard B.	March 25, 1816	April 19, 1898	1853-1879
Shepherd, Charles W.	June 21, 1840	May 31, 1898	1868-1898
Lewis, John W.	1865	Sept. 4, 1898	1882-1898
See, Michael.	Feb. 22, 1817	Nov. 16, 1898	1845-1885
Thomas, S. H.	January 9, 1830	Nov. 16, 1898	1860-1888
Cowles, Wm. T.	May 11, 1819	July 14, 1899	1843-1888
Souden, S. P.	December 5, 1853	Feb. 5, 1900	1885-1900
Robinson, Anthony	April 15, 1810	Feb. 26, 1900	1836-1883
Teter, Isaac P.	May 11, 1829	March 6, 1900	1853-1900
Jackson, W. A.	October 29, 1861	July 3, 1901	1892-1901
Boydston, B. M.	1851	May 13, 1902	1880-1902
Shearer, W. S.	December 26, 1808	Feb. 13, 1902	1895-1902
Dunlavy, D. S.	May 9, 1854	April 13, 1902	1881-1902
Haynes, James	December 27, 1826	April 21, 1902	1855-1902
Thompson, J. C.	July 5, 1814	October 9, 1902	1853-1902
Stryker, A. W.	November 18, 1822	Feb. 27, 1903	1850-1903
Gilmore, W. F.	June 6, 1865	June 6, 1903	1894-1903
Van Schoiack, W. C.	October 30, 1855	July 4, 1903	1888-1903
Light, O. P.	April 27, 1828	March 28, 1904	1852-1884
Simmons, J. T.	January 11, 1829	March 8, 1904	1856-1890
Pusey, M. J.	November 27, 1855	May 17, 1904	1887-1904
Pike, E. J.	February 28, 1846	Nov. 3, 1904	1868-1904
Mark, Banner	August 1, 1825	Jan. 21, 1905	1846-1885
Powelson, C. W.	March 9, 1849	Jan. 6, 1906	1886-1906
Williams, C. F.	November 5, 1841	Jan. 9, 1906	1880-1902
Shane, B. F.	December 1, 1837	Feb. 26, 1906	1869-1906
Hardy, Joshua B.	February 7, 1820	April 13, 1906	1842-1877
Wells, Nelson	September 2, 1825	May 30, 1906	1854-1885
Craig, Jesse	August 21, 1821	May 7, 1907	1845-1856
Roovaart, J. A.		Jan. 3, 1907	1901-1904
Brush, Frank E.	March 15, 1853	March 17, 1908	1877-1901
Evans, Frank W.	March 17, 1829	Sept. 3, 1908	1851-1888
Spaulding, W. J.	April 18, 1827	Feb. 22, 1909	1854-1909
Sinclair, J. A.	October 30, 1855	July 8, 1909	1883-1909
Hill, J. B.	1822	Dec. 3, 1909	1847-1895
Adams, Frank William	January 12, 1850	May 5, 1911	1877-1908
Schreiner, Edwin Luther	September 9, 1840	May 8, 1911	1865-1906
Shippen, W. C.	December 23, 1829	August 11, 1911	1852-1911
Weese, Renix			
Potter, Jno.	June 7, 1843	May 20, 1912	1870-1906

Ministers Wives

NAMES	BIRTH	DEATH
Alexina Cowles	April 4, 1828	June 16, 1855
Esther McDowell	November 7, 1792	November 26, 1872
N. J. Rankin		August 8, 1873
Hannah Elliott Shane	August 12, 1849	April 27, 1873
Harriet Olive Shepherd	December 7, 1850	March 12, 1873
Josephine Rice	1852	October 20, 1874
Jennie F. Busby	December 18	August 20, 1874
Mary N. Power	April 26, 1806	January 1, 1876
Harriet H. Gassner	September 10, 1822	December 12, 1877
Jane Johnson Briggs		June 20, 1878
Lucy Shelton	April 1, 1816	February 4, 1878
Martha A. Smith	November 14, 1844	August 23, 1878

NAMES	BIRTH	DEATH
Clara Ehrmin Patterson.....	April 26, 1851.....	October 9, 1881
Anna C. Bean Clark.....	March 1, 1836.....	1882
Elmira R. Allender.....	August 16, 1820.....	April 7, 1883
Mildred Holland.....	.....	October 11, 1883
Elizabeth Clark.....	September 4, 1805.....	1884
Emma A. Wycoff.....	1857.....	March 1, 1884
Irene Carnine.....	May 10, 1852.....	December 10, 1884
A. B. Busby.....	August 27, 1857.....	October 1, 1886
S. B. Swain.....	August 4, 1849.....	March 3, 1886
Jennie Robinson Adams.....	June 8, 1854.....	January 31, 1884
J. H. McCutcheon.....	June 3, 1821.....	July 30, 1885
J. W. Lewis.....	April 9, 1862.....	February 14, 1887
C. Morley.....	August 15, 1821.....	July 28, 1888
Mary A. Morgan Orr.....	July 4, 1823.....	September 28, 1887
Mary A. Waring.....	November 16, 1828.....	November 15, 1887
R. S. Robinson.....	July 15, 1825.....	July 15, 1889
Georgiana Y. Smith.....	October 6, 1821.....	October 12, 1889
Mary F. Coxe.....	March 20, 1841.....	November 11, 1899
Catherine Bamford.....	April 28, 1831.....	March 16, 1890
Sarah Waring.....	August 30, 1830.....	August 4, 1890
Matilda Brown Power.....	August 20, 1831.....	August 9, 1890
Martha W. Stryker.....	February 1, 1826.....	April 18, 1891
Christina S. Hooper.....	August 28, 1852.....	July 26, 1891
Mary P. Kemble.....	December 26, 1836.....	July 30, 1891
Lucretia E. Worthington.....	August 10, 1835.....	September 19, 1891
Jane Collier.....	December 10, 1840.....	December 31, 1891
Martha A. Simmons.....	March 1, 1832.....	May 4, 1892
Louisa Dunlavy.....	June 1, 1854.....	September 27, 1892
Mary A. Holtzinger.....	September 30, 1820.....	December 20, 1892
Martha A. Schriener.....	October 19, 1847.....	December 23, 1892
Mrs. D. C. Bevan.....	.....	1892
Nancy J. Smith.....	January 16, 1848.....	February 7, 1894
Ann Harris.....	1808.....	April 7, 1894
Catherine Friend.....	December 26, 1821.....	August 8, 1894
Nancy Jane Light.....	September 25, 1833.....	August 4, 1895
Rebecca M. Boyles.....	October 10, 1822.....	March 24, 1895
Mariah H. Wodford.....	January 10, 1816.....	October 27, 1895
Alice T. Johnson.....	January 1, 1852.....	February 25, 1896
Mary Jane Hill.....	June 8, 1829.....	March 3, 1896
Emily Amelia Hardy.....	February 17, 1826.....	December 1, 1896
Sarah Ann Robinson.....	July 26, 1821.....	June 18, 1897
Catherine A. Blakeney.....	1829.....	April 16, 1898
Jane E. See.....	January 3, 1831.....	November 28, 1898
Gertrude Rowe Ingham.....	September 17, 1873.....	March 11, 1899
Laura M. Tuttle.....	April 17, 1857.....	September 23, 1899
Rebecca J. Hestwood.....	1824.....	October 30, 1899
Martha R. Boyd.....	February 13, 1860.....	February 9, 1900
Martha Berry Spaulding.....	February 7, 1836.....	May 2, 1900
Sarah Hayden.....	August 7, 1816.....	Feb. 26, 1900
Harriet Thompson.....	May 31, 1817.....	November 1, 1900
Hannah Bussey.....	June 23, 1811.....	July 13, 1901
Cora May Dimmitt.....	April 2, 1876.....	September 9, 1902
Mrs. J. S. Ferguson.....	May 29, 1833.....	.....
Zerilda A. Coxe.....	.....	December 15, 1904
Ella C. Millice.....	March 26, 1860.....	March—
Mary C. Wells.....	July 17, 1835.....	May 19, 1906
Carrie K. Barber.....	May 19, 1851.....	June 25, 1906
Rebecca Donnelson.....	December 22, 1832.....	1907
Mrs. Elizabeth Wright Eye- stone.....	April 25, 1874.....	March 27, 1907
Mrs. C. P. Reynolds.....	Feb. 16, 1873.....	Jan. 30, 1909
Mrs. W. F. Cowles.....	Feb. 27, 1833.....	May 31, 1909
Mrs. W. E. Berg.....	December 24, 1868.....	June 12, 1909
Mrs. Martha A. Evans.....	November 15, 1834.....	October 28, 1910
Mrs. Cora M. Jordon.....	July 21, 1884.....	April 10, 1911
Mrs. Renix Weese.....	.....	1911
Mrs. W. C. Shippen.....	May 8, 1825.....	September 11, 1910
Mrs. Eliza J. Myers.....	May 16, 1843.....	September 23, 1910
Mrs. Jesse Craig.....	.....	December 11, 1911
Mrs. J. B. Hill.....	.....	August 31, 1912

XVI—SESSIONS AND OFFICERS OF THE IOWA CONFERENCE

No	Time	Year	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Statistical Sec'y	Treasurer.
1	August 14-18.....	1844	Iowa City	Morris	H. W. Reed.....		
2	September 3-8.....	1845	Burlington.....	Morris	" " ".....		
3	September 2-7.....	1846	Bloomington.....	Hamline	" " ".....		
4	September 1-7.....	1847	Mt. Pleasant.....	Waugh	Joseph Brooks.....		
5	August 23-28.....	1848	Dubuque.....	Morris	H. W. Reed.....		
6	August 8-13.....	1849	Ft. Madison.....	Janes	Langdon Taylor.....		
7	August 7-12.....	1850	Fairfield.....	Hamline	J. G. Dimmitt.....		
8	August 6-11.....	1851	Davenport.....	Waugh	M. H. Hare.....		
9	Sept. 29 to Oct. 4.....	1852	Burlington.....	Ames	Joseph Brooks.....		
10	Sept. 28 to Oct. 4.....	1853	Oskaloosa	Scott.....	" ".....		
11	Sept. 27 to Oct. 4.....	1854	Dubuque.....	Morris	H. W. Reed.....		
12	Sept. 26 to Oct. 3.....	1855	Keokuk.....	Simpson.....	Joseph Brooks.....		
13	September 24-30.....	1856	Mt. Pleasant.....	Janes	" ".....		
14	September 24-29.....	1857	Des Moines.....	Ames	" ".....		
15	September 8-14.....	1858	Fairfield.....	Morris	E. L. Briggs.....	E. H. Waring.....	
16	September 7-12.....	1859	Muscatine.....	Simpson.....	E. H. Waring.....	James Haynes.....	
17	Aug. 29 to Sept. 3.....	1860	Oskaloosa	Janes	" ".....	George N. Power.....	
18	August 21-26.....	1861	Burlington.....	Scott	" ".....	" " ".....	
19	September 10-15.....	1862	Washington.....	Baker.....	" ".....	" " ".....	
20	September 9-14.....	1863	Newton	Ames	" ".....	" " ".....	
21	September 14-19.....	1864	Keokuk.....	Janes	" ".....	" " ".....	
22	Sept. 27 to Oct. 2.....	1865	Mt. Pleasant.....	Janes	" ".....	John Hanes.....	
23	Sept. 26 to Oct. 1.....	1866	Knoxville	Ames	" ".....	J. C. Brown.....	
24	September 18-23.....	1867	Ottumwa.....	Scott	" ".....	" ".....	
25	September 3-7.....	1868	Burlington	Janes	" ".....	Kemble, Schreiner.....	
26	September 1-6.....	1869	Muscatine.....	Thompson.....	" ".....	Haynes, Byrkit.....	
27	Sept. 28 to Oct. 3.....	1870	Albia.....	Ames	" ".....	Haynes, Schreiner.....	
28	October 4-9.....	1871	Mt. Pleasant.....	Ames	" ".....	C. W. Shepherd.....	
29	October 9-14.....	1872	Oskaloosa	Andrews	" ".....	Smith Clark, Wilson.....	
30	September 17-21.....	1873	Washington.....	Bowman	" ".....	Stff'd, Byrkit, Sch'r.....	
31	September 16-21.....	1874	Bloomfield.....	Haven	" ".....	" " ".....	
32	September 15-21.....	1875	Keokuk.....	Merrill.....	" ".....	" " ".....	
33	September 6-12.....	1876	Ottumwa.....	Wiley.....	George N. Power.....	Myers, Shepherd	

SESSIONS AND OFFICERS OF THE IOWA CONFERENCE

No	Time	Year	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Statistical Sec'y	Treasurer
34	September	5-10	1877	Fairfield	Ames	George N. Power	Meyers, Shepherd
55	"	4-10	1878	Brooklyn	Foster	"	"
36	"	3-9	1879	Burlington	Harris	"	"
37	"	2-13	1880	Centerville	Hurst	"	"
38	Aug. 31 to Sept. 5	1881	Knoxville	Merrill	"	"	"
39	September	6-11	1882	Muscatine	Wiley	"	Pugh
40	"	5-10	1883	Burlington	Simpson	"	"
41	"	3-9	1884	Ottumwa	Foster	"	"
42	"	10-15	1885	Mt. Pleasant	Ninde	"	Adams
43	"	2-7	1886	Washington	Bowman	F. W. Adams	C. W. Shepherd
44	"	7-12	1887	Newton	Merrill	"	"
45	"	5-10	1888	Oskaloosa	Goodsell	"	"
46	"	4-9	1889	Burlington	Warren	"	"
47	"	4-8	1890	Grinnell	Joyce	"	"
48	"	2-7	1891	Muscatine	Foss	"	"
49	"	7-12	1892	Washington	Andrews	"	"
50	"	6-11	1893	Mt. Pleasant	Mallalieu	C. L. Stafford	"
51	"	12-16	1894	Fairfield	Fowler	"	"
52	"	11-16	1895	Ottumwa	Foster	"	"
53	"	9-14	1896	Knoxville	Newman	"	"
54	"	8-13	1897	Oskaloosa	Fitzgerald	"	"
55	Sept. 28 to Oct. 3	1898	Montezuma	Vincent	"	"	T. S. Pool
56	" 27 to "	2	1899	Mt. Pleasant	McCabe	"	"
57	September	19-24	1900	Bloomfield	Walden	John C. Willits	Elias Handy
58	"	18-24	1901	Newton	Merrill	"	"
59	"	17-22	1902	Keokuk 1st Ch	Hamilton	"	"
60	"	9-14	1903	Muscatine	Mallalieu	John W. Potter	"
61	"	7-12	1904	Sigourney	McDowell	"	"
62	"	6-11	1905	Albia	Warren	C. R. Zimmerman	"
63	"	5-10	1906	Grinnell	Goodsell	"	"
64	"	4-9	1907	Burlington	Cranston	"	"
65	"	2-7	1908	Ottumwa	Quayle	Geo. Blagg	"
66	"	8-13	1909	Winfield	Spellmeyer	"	"
67	"	7-12	1910	Pella	Wilson	"	"
68	"	6-11	1911	Fairfield	Cranston	W. A. Longnecker	"
69	"	4-9	1912	Newton	Hughes	"	"

Statistics No. 1---Burlington District

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP				Bap- tisms		EPWORTH LEAGUES				CHURCH PROPERTY						
		No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Bapt.	No. of Adults Baptis'd	No. Senior Chapter	No. of Members	No. Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for Building and Improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Church Property	Present Indebtedness on Church Property
1	Batavia		250			8	14	1	30	1	40	3	\$ 7000	1	\$ 1200	\$	\$	\$
2	Birmingham		212		3			1	30			2	7500	1	2700	247		
3	Bonaparte		116		3		16					3	3700	1	2000	50		
4	Burlington First	28	854	2		10	14	1	130	1	117	1	75000	1	11600	157	280	
5	Grace	15	422		3		8	2	1	68		1	35000	1	4000	470	85	2240
6	Harrison Ave	2	71		1	2						1	5000			70		
7	West	8	111		1	1	3	1	34			1	3000	1	1000	100		
8	Circuit		267		6	4						4	10500	1	1500	211		
9	Danville	3	239		3		23	1	26			2	11000	1	3500	200		
10	Donnelson	9	123			2		2	50			3	5400	1	2700	10		
11	Fairfield	3	952	2	17	15	56	1	50	1	100	1	20000	1	5000	195		1200
12	Fairfield Circuit		185		1	3		1	35			5	7000			200		
13	Farmington	5	142	1				1	31			3	6200	1	1200		115	
14	Ft. Madison First		250		3		5	1	50			1	12000	1	3500	350	456	111
15	Santa Fe Ave	12	267	2		15	10	1	40	1	30	1	6600	1	2000			
16	Hillsboro		188		3	1	6					4	6100	1	800	67		
17	Keokuk	5	705	2	14	8	23	1	103	1	125	1	50000	1	5000	250	3000	12000
18	Kingston	10	101		1	4	23					1	900					
19	Libertyville		274	2				2	65	1	36	2	7000	1	2000			
20	Mediapolis	3	324	8		10	8	1	55			1	15500	1	2500	750		
21	Montrose	8	125		1		20	1	40			2	6000	1	700			45
22	Morning Sun		286		1		1	1	40			1	10000	1	2500	182		
23	Mt. Pleasant First		591	1	10	5	26	1	60			1	60000	1	6500	42000		
24	West	6	136		1							3	5000			100		
25	Circuit	3	183		3	4	15					4	7100	1	2500	35		
26	Mt. Sterling		235			1						3	10000	1	2500	170		
27	Mt. Union		244		2		12	2	75			3	7000	1	2000	400		
28	New London	12	212		3	12	20	1	43	1	26	2	5500	1	2000			
29	Salem		135		5			1	15	1	12	3	10000	1	1000	100		
30	Sperry		61		3	4						3	3000	1	1000			
31	Stockport		210				21	1	55			4	6000	1	2100	200		
32	Valley		29			6		1	22			2	3300			242		
33	Wayland		319		1		3	1	64	1	53	4	9500	1	3500	2600	1600	1000
34	West Point	3	100		2	2	3					3	3500	1	1200			
35	Winfield		345		6		5	1	109			1	25000	1	3000			
36	Yarmouth	1	175		2	14	2					2	5000	1	2200			
	Totals	136	9539	6	112	135	337	28	1995	9	539	85	533300	31	84900	49356	5536	16596

Statistics No. 1---Muscatine District

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP			Bap- tisms		EPWORTH LEAGUE			CHURCH PROPERTY								
		No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Bapt.	No. of Adults Baptis'd	No. Senior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. Junior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for Building and Improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebted- ness on Church Prop- erty	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	
1	Ainsworth		320	1	3		1	1	60			1	\$13000	1	\$ 2000	\$13000	\$	\$
2	Amish (Kalona)	8	204	1				1	50			4	5100	1	2000	100	105	
3	Brighton		210		2		4	1	50	1	40	3	8000	1	2000		950	
4	Columbus Junction.	2	240		4		6	22	1	30		3	10000	1	5000			1200
5	Crawfordsville	6	192				10	1	40			2	6600	1	3500			
6	Grandview		67		1							1	5000	1	1500	675		700
7	Guernsey	2	93					3	27			2	3000			235		
8	Kalona		259		3		2	8	3	125		3	10000	1	1500	200	600	
9	Keota	8	276		3		5	3	1	100		2	7500	1	2500	32		
10	Koszta																	
11	Ladora		82		3			1	30			2	3500	1	1600	1000		
12	Letts		170		3		1	11	1	20		1	7000	1	2100	125		
13	Lexington		178		1				1	30		3	4500	1	1000			
14	Lone Tree		180		4		2	22	1	47	1	60	3	9000	1	1600	90	
15	Marengo		275						1	30			1	8000	1	2500		
16	Millersburg		78		2							2	2200	1	600	25		
17	Muscatine First	1	724	1	14		2	6	1	130		1	112000			49000		30000
18	" North	9	215		1		6	25	1	30		3	7000	1	2000	173	125	75
19	" South	7	231		1		1	1	1	65		2	8000	1	1750	50		
20	Nichols		240						3	120	1	30	3	12000				
21	North English	4	246		10		7	7	1	43			2	7000	1	1500	100	
22	Oakville	7	181		2		45	8	1	20			3	10300	1	2350	2850	
23	Oxford		170		1		1		1	25			1	6000	1	1500	40	
24	Riverside	6	103		2		15	1	20				2	4000	1	1700	150	
25	Sweetland		202				8		2	140			4	7000	1	1000	560	
26	Tiffin		143		2				1	25			2	6500	1	1600		
27	Victor		100						1	32			1	3000	1	2600	1117	300
28	Wapello	3	264		4		2	1	1		1		2	13000	1	2800	300	
29	Washington	11	1042	1	7		9	28	1	90	1	75	1	20000	1	3500	15000	
30	Wellman	1	412		4		1	9	1	70	1	50	2	7000	1	3000	160	
31	West Chester	5	180		2		2	2	1	40			2	5500	1	3000	30	
32	West Liberty	3	326		1		1	4	1	98	1	45	1	20000	1	2500	75	200
33	Williamsburg	4	194		2		1		1	30			1	4000	1	2000		
34	Wilton		150						1	35			1	13000	1	2800	790	
	Totals	87	7844	4	85	105	188	36	1652	7	300	67	403700	30	65000	85817	1980	32275

Statistics No. 1---Oskaloosa District

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP				Bap- tisms	EPWORTH LEAGUES				CHURCH PROPERTY							
		No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Bapt.	No. of Adults Baptis'd	No. Senior Chapter	No. of Members	No. Junior Chapters	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for Building and Improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Church Property	Present Indebtedness on Church Property	
1	Attica	9	243	2	4	1	12				6	\$ 7500	1	\$ 1500	\$ 100	\$	\$	
2	Barnes City	15	134			3	7	1	25		3	5000	1	1500	182			
3	Beacon	7	181	3		1		1	17		4	4500	1	1200	175			
4	Brooklyn	12	431	1		20	30	1	50	1	25	12000	1	3500	65	150		
5	Bussey		155	1		10	3	1	40	1	36	8000	1	1500	4500			
6	Cedar	6	169		3		3				2	6000	1	2500	68			
7	Deep River	8	116		2	4	3	1	24		1	2000	1	2500	80			
8	Delta	8	246		2	1	31	1	25		1	5000	1	1500				
9	Ewart	4	107	1	3			1	12		4	4900	1	600	7	28	7	
10	Fremont		141		5	2	2			1	2	5000	1	1500	100			
11	Grinnell	104	712		5	11	28	1	72		45	35000	1	6000		200		
12	Harvey		172				5	1	40			4500	1	1000	160			
13	Hedrick	1	200	2				1	50		2	15000	1	3000				
14	Kellogg	3	90		1		4	1	20		3	5300	1	2000	10			
15	Kilduff	13	337	6		1	35	1	90		4	9000	1	2000	220			
16	Kirkville		284	1			3	1	20		2	8000	1	2000	250			
17	Knoxville	14	742	4	6	5	41	2	80	1	40	27000	1	2200	200			
18	Lacey	1	134	1				1	21		3	6500	1	1000				
19	Lynnville		130		1		3	1	40	1	50	2800	1	800	45	16		
20	Malcom	1	97			4	4	1	12	1	26	8000	1	3000	216	200	192	
21	Martinsburg	5	190	2		1					4	9000	1	800	30			
22	Montezuma	8	435	4			10	1	83	1	28	20000	1	3000	1100			
23	New Sharon		188	1	2		3				2	16500	1	1200	14000			
24	Newton	5	914	7		10	125	1	80	1	65	1	15000		50			
25	Oskaloosa	16	900	3	10	7	16	1	101		1	40000	1	4200	200		5000	
26	Pella		138	1	2	1	1	1	38		1	5700	1	2000	240	50	150	
27	Reasnor		124	2		2	21	2	50	1	20	3	4800	1	1000	140		
28	Rose Hill	3	140		2						3	4800	1	1000	350	50		
29	Sigourney	8	307			1	17	1	25		1	13000	1	2000	100			
30	Sonora	1	169			3	8	2	50	1	20	3	3500	1	2000	250		
31	Sully	13						1	24		3	3000	1	1000	170			
32	Thornburg	2	93			5	1	1	39		3	5900	1	1000	103	4		
33	Tracy	7	152	1	2						4	6000						
34	Webster	4	265		4	1	9				4	16500	1	1800				
35	What Cheer	2	220		1	10	8	1	24	1	20	1	6800	1	2800	110		
Totals		280	9056	14	84	104	433	30	1148	11	375	85	351500	33	\$64600	\$23221	\$ 698	\$ 5349

Statistics No. 1---Ottumwa District

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP				Bap- tisms		EPWORTH LEAGUES			CHURCH PROPERTY							
		No. of Probationers..	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preach's	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Bapt.	No. of Adults Baptis'd	No. Senior Chapters..	No. of Members.	No. Junior Chapters..	No. of Members.	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for Building and Improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Church Prop-erty.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property..
1	Agency	6	350	2	8		10	1	80		1	\$ 8000	1	\$ 2000	\$ 75			
2	Albia	10	461		8			1	80		1	14000	1	4000	540			280
3	Avery	31	70	1	1	2	32	2	40		3	4000	2	2000	25			
4	Blakesburg	9	175	1	1			2	65		4	4500	1	1200				
5	Bloomfield	3	443	1	13			1	40	1	30	1	24000	1	2500	550		
6	Buxton		59		1					1	10							
7	Cantril	2	402		4	2	6	1	114	1	65	4	5900	1	1400	310		
8	Centerville	4	749		7	60	67	1	165		1	65000	1	15000	170			
9	Chillicothe	5	171				5	2	71	1	20	2	5500	1	1500	180		
10	Cincinnati	1	216	1	8	5	40	1	85		3	4000	1	1000	60		10	
11	Drakeville	4	254		2		2	2	90	1	11	4	5000	1	1500	32	20	94
12	Douds	1	210		2	1	7	2	78		4	4200	1	700	80			
13	Eddyville	8	146				3	1	19	1	24	2	7500	1	1500			
14	Eldon		355		2	2	35				2	5000	1	2000			120	
15	Exline		273	1	3		53	1	22		5	5000	1	1300	100			
16	Farson	5	86		1		15	1	35	1	18	1	3200	1	1100	40	45	
17	Floris		104								3	7000	1	1500				
18	Iconium	9	230				7	1	42		3	4500	1	600	20			
19	Jerome		90		1		14	1	50		2	4000	1	1000	2500	400		
20	Keosauqua		233	1	2	1	4	1	50	1	30	1	7500	1	2500	240		
21	Keosauqua Circuit	2	98	1	2	1	2				4	5000						
22	Lovilia	1	161		1	2	8	2	60	1	30	2	6000	1	3000	40	80	
23	Milton		472		6		3	1	80		1	10000	1	2500	75	40		
24	Moravia		262		2	2	8	1	30	1	50	2	7000	1	2200			200
25	Moulton	12	300			4		1	48	1	45	1	16000	1	2500	120		
26	Mystic		278		3		8	1	40		1	6800	1	2500	85	13	750	
27	Ottumwa First	65	1032		19	8	24	1	85		1	50000	1	9000			4000	
28	" Main St.	28	282	2	4		4	1	81		1	6000	1	3000	194		2000	
29	" Willard St.	4	500	3	3	5	1	1	46		2	16800	1	2500	150	450		
30	" Circuit	3	60				2				2	1600						
31	Packwood		216		1	22	1	1	32		3	8000	2	2000				
32	Pulaski		185		3			1	30		3	6400	1	1500	135	50		
33	Richland		201	1	3		1	1	24		2	8000	1	1500	67			
34	Troy	4	215		6	1		1	45		3	2300	1	800	170			
35	Unionville		125	1			1	25	1	35	3	7000	1	2500			500	
36	West Grove	148	143		5	7	103	1	61		4	6000	1	700	80			
Totals		363	9607	14	122	134	465	37	1813	12	368	82	350700	35	\$80500	\$ 6036	\$ 1098	\$ 7954

Statistics No. 1---Recapitulation

NAMES OF DISTRICTS

Burlington	136	9539	6	112	135	337	28	1995	9	539	85	\$533300	31	\$84900	\$49356	\$5536	\$16596
Muscatine	87	7844	4	85	105	188	36	1652	7	300	67	403700	30	65000	85817	1980	32275
Oskaloosa	280	9056	14	84	104	433	30	1148	11	375	85	351500	33	64600	23221	698	5349
Ottumwa	363	9607	14	122	134	465	37	1813	12	368	82	350700	35	80500	6036	1098	7954
Totals this year.	866	36046	38	403	478	1423	131	6608	39	1582	319	1639200	129	295000	164430	9312	62174
Totals last year.	863	35567	52	418	454	1260	118	5167	33	1470	324	1386783	130	279060	109289	22201	30963
Increase	3	479			24	163	13	1441	6	112		252417		15940	55141		31211
Decrease			14	15							5		1			12989	

Statistics No. 2—Burlington District

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	SUNDAY SCHOOLS											Collection for Board of S. S.	
		No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars of all Grades not including Cradle R. & H. Dept.	Average Attendance of all Grades	No. of Members in the Home Department	No. of Children on the Cradle Roll	Total Enroll, all Dep'ts including C. R. & H. D. but not Officers & Teachers or Probationers	No. Officers & Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers	No. Schol's whether Attend. or Mem. H. Dept. who are Ch. M. or Prob.	No. of Members of S. S. Converted during year	Current Expenses: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	(a) Church	(b) Sunday S.
1	Batavia	2	24	175	110	10	25	186	24	125	8	\$ 110	\$ 2	\$ 11
2	Birmingham	2	25	225	130	10	13	223	25	150		78		
3	Bonaparte	3	28	140	80			140	25		16	60		
4	Burlington First	1	49	583	484	125	75	783	49	21	568	10	17	
5	" Grace	1	34	427	275	14	55	393	33	212	487	2	8	
6	" Harrison Ave	1	12	160	106			148	12	37	64			
7	" West	1	15	150	95		10	160	15	70	90		9	
8	" Circuit	4	36	250	175			250	36		75	6		
9	Danville	2	32	234	12		26	260	32	155	27	90	16	
10	Donnellson	2	22	95	65			95	22		1	50		1
11	Fairfield	1	54	613	383	90	70	773	54	375	45	331	30	
12	Fairfield Circuit	5	62	269	175	12	9	128	48		107			
13	Farmington	1	15	143	86		8	151	15	42	78	1	1	
14	Ft. Madison	1	22	166	115		21	187	22	72	140	4		
15	" Santa Fe Ave	1	18	225	175		30	255	18	100	35	65	5	
16	Hillsboro	3	33	264	153	7		271	19		5	113	2	
17	Keokuk	1	49	630	306	40	100	770	49	304	32	310		11
18	Kingston	2	14	95	65			95	14		18	36		
19	Libertyville	2	30	260	170			260	30	150	6	130		5
20	Mediapolis	1	20	198	126	14	15	227	19	140	32	160		15
21	Montrose	2	20	180	130			160	20	89	45	40		
22	Morning Sun	1	30	165	115			165	30	76	100	7	3	
23	Mt. Pleasant First	1	36	406	258	40	16	462	36	240	38	248	5	
24	" West	3	35	200	125		35	235	35	80		65		
25	" Circuit	4	39	185	135		31	216	39		16	114	11	2
26	Mt. Sterling	3	37	203	135			203	37	162	1	110	13	1
27	Mt. Union	3	30	150	130			150	28		12	125		
28	New London	1	20	150	125		43	193	20	80	80	222		
29	Salem	1	15	120	90		35	155	10	22		50		2
30	Sperry	4	24	180	80			180	20	100		40		
31	Stockport	4	44	175	125			175	40		22	60	4	4
32	Valley	1	4	66	44			66	3	19	13	25		
33	Wayland	3	45	280	215	75	23	378	45	300	3	131	15	
34	West Point	3	16	75	60			75	14	40	3	30	3	1
35	Winfield	1	35	250	156	11		261	35	161	13	175	18	1
36	Yarmouth	2	22	160	100			160	22	70	10	75	5	
Totals		74	1046	8247	5309	448	640	8999	998	3371	525	4752	159	92

Statistics No. 2—Muscatine District

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	SUNDAY SCHOOLS											Collection for Board of S. S.	
		No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars of all Grades not including Cradle R. & H. Dept.	Average Attendance of all Grades	No. of Members in the Home Department	No. of Children on the Cradle Roll	Total Enroll. all Dep'ts including C. R. & H. D. but not Officers & Teachers	No. Officers & Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers	No. Schol's whether Attend. or Mem. H. Dept. who are Ch. M. or Prob.	No. of Members of S. S. Converted during year	Current Expenses: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	(a) Church	(b) Sunday S.
1	Ainsworth	1	19	200	160	---	---	200	19	150	---	\$ 150	\$ 10	\$ 5
2	Amish (Kalona)	3	37	215	129	---	36	251	37	---	4	55	---	2
3	Brighton	1	22	160	110	---	---	160	22	---	4	98	4	1
4	Columbus Junction	3	30	250	165	---	20	270	29	125	10	175	---	2
5	Crawfordsville	1	14	75	50	---	---	75	14	40	10	95	3	5
6	Grandview	1	17	80	54	---	8	88	15	25	1	41	---	1
7	Guernsey	1	13	50	34	---	---	36	12	---	3	32	5	8
8	Kalona	3	43	221	135	20	25	266	43	210	20	140	---	---
9	Keota	2	29	324	165	26	36	386	29	198	14	250	15	7
10	Kosztá	2	14	70	50	---	---	70	14	---	---	42	---	---
11	Ladora	1	11	80	55	---	---	80	11	---	---	---	---	2
12	Letts	1	20	160	90	---	32	192	19	110	---	107	16	---
13	Lexington	3	25	115	85	---	20	135	25	80	---	58	2	---
14	Lone Tree	2	22	150	100	---	---	150	22	57	20	60	2	1
15	Marengo	1	19	247	160	---	20	267	19	150	---	100	---	5
16	Millersburg	2	15	100	---	---	---	100	15	65	---	25	---	---
17	Muscatine First	1	33	425	223	75	32	532	33	---	---	232	31	7
18	" North	3	40	328	204	---	41	369	37	---	20	160	8	---
19	" South	2	30	225	135	---	---	225	30	40	---	125	3	2
20	Nichols	3	50	275	180	---	---	275	36	155	2	175	---	1
21	North English	2	49	220	155	22	30	272	49	61	20	200	2	13
22	Oakville	3	33	198	180	39	49	286	32	---	15	134	---	6
23	Oxford	1	11	110	75	---	---	110	11	60	---	60	---	---
24	Riverside	2	24	148	110	4	4	156	23	81	29	60	---	2
25	Sweetland	3	43	270	140	9	14	292	40	---	2	151	---	5
26	Tiffin	2	25	120	82	---	---	120	21	---	---	40	---	---
27	Victor	1	15	70	51	---	---	70	14	63	---	51	---	5
28	Wapello	1	30	209	116	10	24	243	30	67	---	120	2	1
29	Washington	1	60	743	425	125	102	970	59	490	35	450	36	4
30	Wellman	2	31	250	190	---	32	282	30	183	10	160	20	---
31	West Chester	2	18	140	90	---	---	140	18	---	5	85	4	14
32	West Liberty	1	28	240	160	---	10	250	28	150	---	125	6	8
33	Williamsburg	1	21	125	90	10	20	155	21	43	2	60	5	---
34	Wilton	1	18	100	90	10	24	134	18	50	---	25	---	3
Totals		60	879	6643	4238	349	579	7507	875	2653	231	3841	181	112

Statistics No. 2—Oskaloosa District

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	SUNDAY SCHOOLS											Collection for Board of S. S.	
		No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars of all Grades not including Cradle R. & H. Dept.	Average Attendance of all Grades	No. of Members in the Home Department	No. of Children on the Cradle Roll	Total Enroll, all Dep'ts. Includ'g C. R. & H. D. but not Offic's & Teach	No. Officers & Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers	No. Schol's whether Attend. or Mem. H. Dept. who are Ch.M. or Prob.	No. of Members of S. S. Converted during year	Current Expenses: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	(a)	(b)
													Church	Sunday S.
1	Attica	7	74	350	260	11	---	271	69	200	40	\$ 200	\$---	\$ 1
2	Barnes City	3	38	250	100	25	---	237	34	2	15	162	---	---
3	Beacon	3	49	250	220	---	---	250	40	---	7	92	6	---
4	Brooklyn	1	17	200	125	21	23	244	17	150	35	100	12	---
5	Bussey	4	39	334	252	---	---	334	39	---	10	175	---	2
6	Cedar	2	25	141	104	---	---	141	22	89	6	80	4	---
7	Deep River	1	14	108	64	---	---	96	14	63	4	47	2	---
8	Delta	1	17	200	140	---	---	200	17	---	37	101	---	3
9	Ewart	3	34	140	120	20	20	160	17	50	3	100	3	1
10	Fremont	2	---	165	105	---	12	157	20	50	---	80	1	3
11	Grinnell	1	41	555	320	50	138	743	40	500	71	300	---	20
12	Harvey	3	20	135	100	---	---	135	20	90	7	42	---	---
13	Hedrick	1	20	130	90	---	25	130	20	75	---	185	6	2
14	Kellogg	2	32	138	100	---	---	138	29	---	4	56	1	1
15	Kilduff	4	50	355	197	43	16	414	49	272	40	174	10	---
16	Kirkville	2	28	200	125	---	22	194	28	150	---	39	---	---
17	Knoxville	2	38	360	301	24	---	384	38	260	60	273	11	4
18	Lacey	3	32	157	132	---	---	157	21	---	---	75	3	---
19	Lynnville	2	16	125	90	---	---	109	15	---	10	32	4	2
20	Malcom	1	8	45	30	---	---	---	8	---	---	35	---	---
21	Martinsburg	4	40	175	145	---	---	135	36	130	---	80	1	---
22	Montezuma	23	248	166	---	---	---	248	23	182	10	200	10	---
23	New Sharon	1	20	160	110	---	---	160	20	---	2	85	5	---
24	Newton	1	26	475	285	160	30	575	26	450	---	210	13	---
25	Oskaloosa	1	52	760	446	150	55	965	52	---	30	551	5	5
26	Pella	1	18	128	90	---	12	140	18	70	---	62	1	1
27	Reasnor	2	32	170	120	---	---	170	30	100	21	90	3	---
28	Rose Hill	3	20	100	75	---	---	100	20	---	2	70	---	---
29	Sigourney	1	22	180	145	30	25	235	22	---	40	120	---	4
30	Sonora	3	28	205	165	---	---	177	28	150	15	72	4	1
31	Sully	3	19	143	110	---	---	143	13	32	21	68	4	---
32	Thornburg	3	47	132	92	---	6	138	20	---	---	86	---	---
33	Tracy	2	11	133	108	---	---	133	10	---	4	62	1	---
34	Webster	3	35	250	180	---	---	250	25	105	9	75	4	3
35	What Cheer	2	28	220	145	25	15	260	28	110	15	190	---	5
Totals		79	1008	7817	5347	559	399	7213	928	3335	517	\$ 3369	\$113	\$ 58

Statistics No. 2—Ottumwa District

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	SUNDAY SCHOOLS											Collection for Board of S. S.	
		No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars of all Grades not including Cradle R. & H. Dept.	Average Attendance of all Grades	No. of Members in the Home Department	No. of Children on the Cradle Roll	Total Enroll, all Dep'ts including C. R. & H. D. but not Officers & Teachers	No. Officers & Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers	No. Schol's whether Attend. or Mem. H. Dept. who are Ch. M. or Prob.	No. of Members of S. S. Converted during year	Current Expenses: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	(a) Church	(b) Sunday S.
1	Agency	1	17	160	125		30	173	17		10	\$ 105	\$ 4	\$
2	Albia	1	37	414	266		36	450	37	300	10	258	10	
3	Avery	3	20	185	150			185	15		25			
4	Blakesburg	4	32	160	150			160	30	120	1	100		4
5	Bloomfield	1	30	300	150				30		10	50		
6	Buxton	1	13	115	110	5	20	140	13			65		
7	Cantril	4	57	443	284		58	501	56	298	8	126		1
8	Centerville	1	23	700	300			700	23	500	200	175		5
9	Chillicothe	2	19	114	58			114	19	57	5	45	4	
10	Cincinnati	3	20	400	225			400	20	200	45	125		
11	Drakesville	4	33	220	137			220	27	117	3	70	1	2
12	Douds	5	55	200	150			200	50		7		3	1
13	Eddyville	2	32	208	159			208	32			70		
14	Eldon	1	36	250	175			250	36	175	25	75	1	
15	Exline	3	45	230	175		18	248	38		40	40	2	
16	Farson	1	17	60	60		19	79	15	34	14	50		
17	Floris	3	20	120										
18	Iconium	3	30	275	190			275	30		14	75	1	1
19	Jerome	2	30	270	200		30	300	30	90	80	92		2
20	Keosauqua	1	22	210	150	30	12	252	22		4	100		
21	Keosauqua Circuit	2	26	120	70			120	24			57	2	
22	Lovilia	2	35	185	135		15	200	35		6	75	3	5
23	Milton	1	21	250	135			250	21	220		65	8	
24	Moravia	2	30	275	190		25	300	27		10	115	3	2
25	Moulton	1	19	250	160	25	15	290	19	180	5	110		10
26	Mystic	1	31	369	205		36	405			3	196		6
27	Ottumwa First	1	35	510	275		40	550	35		15	215	5	20
28	" Main St.	1	32	165	96	12	38	215	32	92	1	130	4	2
29	" Willard St.	2	32	407	238		36	443	32	325	5	272	5	5
30	" Circuit	2	18	70	40			70	18		2	32		
31	Packwood	3	41	225	130			225	39		26	107	2	
32	Pulaski	3	30	235	120			235	30	115		90		1
33	Richland	2	30	160	120		30	190	30	100		112	1	2
34	Troy	3	27	200	137			200	24	120	16	44	3	
35	Unionville	2	25	150	100			150	25			80		2
36	West Grove	4	36	175	150			175						
Totals		78	1056	8780	5515	72	458	8873	936	3043	590	\$ 3321	\$ 62	\$ 71

Statistics No. 2---Recapitulation

STATISTICS No. 2—POPULATION														
NAMES OF DISTRICTS														
Burlington	74	1046	8247	5309	448	640	8999	998	3371	525	\$ 4752	\$159	\$ 92	
Muscataine	60	879	6643	4238	349	579	7507	875	2653	231	3841	181	112	
Oskaloosa	79	1008	7817	5347	559	399	7213	928	3335	517	3369	113	58	
Ottumwa	78	1056	8780	5515	72	458	8873	936	3043	590	3321	62	71	
Totals this year.		291	3989	31487	20409	1428	2176	32592	3737	12402	1863	15283	515	333
Totals last year.		294	3945	29726	19457	1517	1917	30439	3671	11231	1685	14870	525	293
Increase			44	1761	952		259	2153	66	1171	178	\$ 413		\$ 40
Decrease		3				89							\$ 10	

Statistics No. 3—

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	NAMES OF PASTORS	PASTOR'S SUPPORT						Deficiencies
			CLAIMS			RECEIPTS			
			Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total	
1	Batavia	O. J. Fix	\$ 900	\$ 100	\$ 1000	\$ 900	\$ 100	\$ 1000	\$---
2	Birmingham	W. M. Crowther	1000	200	1200	1000	200	1200	---
3	Bonaparte	J. H. Taylor	425	---	425	385	---	385	40
4	Burlington First	Eugene Allen	2500	450	2950	2500	450	2950	---
5	Grace	J. W. Pool	1300	300	1600	1300	300	1600	---
6	" Harrison Ave	Charles E. Pettit	800	---	800	800	---	800	---
7	" West	W. J. Phillips	600	100	700	600	100	700	---
8	" Circuit	E. A. Bentzinger	1000	125	1125	1000	125	1125	---
9	Danville	J. W. Lambert	1100	200	1300	1100	200	1300	---
10	Donnellson	Harry M. Burns	700	---	700	654	---	654	46
11	Fairfield	Thomas Osborn	2000	300	2300	2000	300	2300	---
12	Fairfield Circuit	W. B. Ireland	725	225	950	725	225	950	---
13	Farmington	W. J. Hamilton	800	120	920	790	120	910	10
14	Ft. Madison	David Phillips	1100	300	1400	1100	300	1400	---
15	" Santa Fe Ave	M. A. Banker	1000	150	1150	1000	150	1150	---
16	Hillsboro	C. E. Ward	615	100	715	590	100	690	25
17	Keokuk	J. M. Brown	2000	400	2400	2000	400	2400	---
18	Kingston	Churley Bloomquist	300	---	300	306	---	306	---
19	Libertyville	R. C. Russell	900	120	1020	900	120	1020	---
20	Mediapolis	W. S. Gardner	1200	150	1350	1200	150	1350	---
21	Montrose	L. C. Moore	700	100	800	700	100	800	---
22	Morning Sun	George Blagg	1100	150	1250	1100	150	1250	---
23	Mt. Pleasant First	H. A. Ingham	1600	400	2000	1600	400	2000	---
24	" West	Thomas J. Pettit	485	---	485	510	---	510	---
25	" Circuit	J. F. Barnett	1000	200	1200	1000	200	1200	---
26	Mt. Sterling	W. J. Fowler	850	150	1000	850	150	1000	---
27	Mt. Union	J. C. Behrens	1000	150	1150	1000	150	1150	---
28	New London	C. W. Wilson	1200	180	1380	1200	180	1380	---
29	Salem	Harry C. Druse	750	100	850	750	100	850	---
30	Sperry	Jacob W. Stine	800	100	900	800	100	900	---
31	Stockport	E. S. Hehner	900	120	1020	900	120	1020	---
32	Valley	H. Hendrickson	210	---	210	170	---	170	40
33	Wayland	J. W. Carson	1000	200	1200	1015	200	1215	---
34	West Point	S. F. Bishop	600	100	700	600	100	700	---
35	Winfield	W. A. Longnecker	1350	150	1500	1350	150	1500	---
36	Yarmouth	A. L. Jordan	850	125	975	850	125	975	---
Totals			35360	5565	40925	35245	5565	40810	161

Burlington District

Number	Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Superintendent's		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES			
	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church, Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Total	
1	\$ 34	\$ 34	\$ 64	\$ 64	\$ 9	\$ 9	\$ 1107	\$ 250	\$ 110	\$ 360	
2	40	40	70	65	12	12	1317	160	78	238	
3	17	17	20	20	5	5	410	60	60	120	
4	90	100	188	188	36	36	3274	1700	600	2300	
5	48	48	88	88	13	13	1749	314	487	801	
6	16	16	28	28	4	4	848	60	64	124	
7	14	14	28	28	6	6	748	90	90	180	
8	40	40	72	72	10	10	1247	70	65	135	
9	42	42	76	76	11	11	1429	152	90	242	
10	25	22	52	46	7	6	728	50	50	100	
11	68	68	140	140	20	20	2528	825	331	1156	
12	32	32	60	60	8	8	1050		107	107	
13	32	30	64	59	8	8	1007	102	78	180	
14	42	42	76	76	11	11	1529	404	140	544	
15	40	40	72	72	10	10	1272	175	65	240	
16	24	24	44	44	6	6	764	120	113	233	
17	80	80	150	150	20	20	2650	984	310	1294	
18	3	3	16	16	3	3	328	45	36	81	
19	32	32	68	68	8	8	1128	160	130	290	
20	44	44	84	84	12	12	1490	458	150	608	
21	28	28	44	44	6	6	878	80	40	120	
22	44	44	80	80	11	15	1389	360	100	460	
23	64	64	144	144	16	16	2224	614	200	814	
24	20	20	27	27	5	5	562	108	65	173	
25	40	40	72	72	10	15	1327	75	114	189	
26	34	34	64	64	9	9	1107	150	110	260	
27	40	40	72	72	10	15	1277	200	125	325	
28	48	48	84	84	12	8	1520	180	222	402	
29	30	30	48	48	7	7	935	130	50	180	
30	32	32	52	52	8	8	992	60	40	100	
31	36	36	52	52	8	8	1116	85	60	145	
32							170	40	25	65	
33	40	40	72	72	10	10	1337	300	131	431	
34	24	24	44	44	6	6	774	40	30	70	
35	54	54	100	100	14	14	1668	591	175	766	
36	32	32	56	56	9	9	1072	200	75	275	
	1319	1317	2471	2455	360	369	44951	9392	4716	14108	

Statistics No. 3—

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	NAMES OF PASTORS	PASTOR'S SUPPORT						
			CLAIMS			RECEIPTS			Deficiencies
			Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total	
1	Ainsworth	J. A. Glendinning	\$ 1400	\$ 150	\$ 1550	\$ 1400	\$ 150	\$ 1550	
2	Amish (Kalona)	C. L. Rubottom	700	100	800	700	100	800	
3	Brighton	T. S. Pool	900	150	1050	900	150	1050	
4	Columbus Junction	A. W. McBlain	1000	180	1180	1035	180	1215	
5	Crawfordsville	N. A. Swickard	1067	200	1267	1067	200	1267	
6	Grandview	Edward R. Bartlett	600		600	600		600	
7	Guernsey	William Zabilka	550		550	460		460	90
8	Kalona	W. S. Moore	1150	100	1250	1150	100	1250	
9	Keota	H. B. Scoles	1200	200	1400	1200	200	1400	
10	Kosza	Thomas Reese							
11	Ladora	R. T. Richards	825	100	925	825	100	925	
12	Letts	T. F. Barker	1200	150	1350	1200	150	1350	
13	Lexington	A. H. Barker	925	150	1075	925	150	1075	
14	Lone Tree	J. P. Hehner	1000	150	1150	1000	150	1150	
15	Marengo	C. R. Zimmerman	1200	240	1440	1200	240	1440	
16	Millersburg	C. L. Jordan	600	72	672	600	72	672	
17	Muscatine First	L. M. Grigsby	2300	300	2600	2300	300	2600	
18	" North	E. W. Stodghill	825	150	975	825	150	975	
19	" South	G. P. Badgley	800	100	900	800	100	900	
20	Nichols	C. H. Montgomery	700	100	800	700	100	800	
21	North English	H. W. Munster	1000	150	1150	1000	150	1150	
22	Oakville	H. E. Butler	800	100	900	800	100	900	
23	Oxford	Fred A. Smith	800	100	900	800	100	900	
24	Riverside	W. J. Scott	750	120	870	750	120	870	
25	Sweetland	W. E. Berg	704	100	804	704	100	804	
26	Tiffin	C. B. Isaac				610		610	
27	Victor	G. A. Osborne	750	100	850	750	100	850	
28	Wapello	E. C. Brooks	1150	200	1350	1150	200	1350	
29	Washington	U. S. Smith	2000	300	2300	2000	300	2300	
30	Wellman	R. L. Patterson	1200	200	1400	1200	200	1400	
31	West Chester	Thomas Rowe	825	150	975	825	150	975	
32	West Liberty	M. E. Reusch	1200	150	1350	1200	150	1350	
33	Williamsburg	C. E. Baumgarten	925	175	1100	925	175	1100	
34	Wilton	W. H. Dillon	1000	150	1150	1000	150	1150	
	Totals		\$32046	\$ 4587	\$36633	\$32601	\$ 4587	\$37188	\$ 90

Muscatine District

Number	Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Superint's		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops.	CURRENT EXPENSES			
	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church, Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Total	
1	\$ 56	\$ 56	\$ 98	\$ 98	\$ 19	\$ 19	\$ 1723	\$ 300	\$ 150	\$ 450	
2	28	28	49	49	8	8	885	92	55	147	
3	36	36	63	63	12	12	1161	170	98	268	
4	40	40	70	68	13	13	1336	170	175	345	
5	43	43	75	75	14	14	1399	127	95	222	
6	24	24	40	40	8	8	672	75	41	116	
7	22	20	38	33	7	5	518	60	32	92	
8	46	46	80	80	15	15	1391	95	140	235	
9	48	48	84	84	16	16	1548	375	250	625	
10											
11	33	33	56	56	11	11	1025	100	42	142	
12	48	48	84	84	16	16	1498	169	107	276	
13	37	37	65	65	12	12	1189	140	58	198	
14	40	40	70	70	13	13	1273	150	60	210	
15	48	48	84	84	16	16	1588	200	100	300	
16	24	24	40	40	8	8	744	66	25	91	
17	192	192	160	160	34	34	2986	1921	232	2153	
18	29	29	51	51	10	10	1065	104	160	264	
19	32	32	56	56	11	11	999	200	125	325	
20	28	28	50	50	9	9	887	265	175	440	
21	40	40	70	70	13	13	1273	175	200	375	
22	32	32	56	56	11	11	999	105	134	239	
23	32	32	56	56	11	11	999	160	60	220	
24	18	18	32	32	6	6	926	60	52	112	
25	28	28	50	50	9	9	891	170	151	321	
26		6		37		6	659	60	40	100	
27	30	20	50	50	10	10	930	130	51	181	
28	47	47	77	77	15	15	1489	200	120	320	
29	90	90	140	140	27	27	2557	1200	450	1650	
30	48	48	84	84	16	16	1548	300	160	460	
31	33	33	56	56	11	11	1075	115	85	200	
32	48	48	84	84	16	16	1498	450	125	575	
33	37	37	65	65	12	12	1214	225		225	
34	40	40	70	70	13	13	1273	150	30	180	
	\$ 1377	\$ 1371	\$ 2203	\$ 2233	\$ 422	\$ 426	\$ 41218	\$ 8279	\$ 3778	\$ 12057	

Statistics No. 3—

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	NAMES OF PASTORS	PASTOR'S SUPPORT						Deficiency
			CLAIMS			RECEIPTS			
			Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total	
1	Attica	H. F. Bohn	\$ 900	\$ 150	\$ 1050	\$ 900	\$ 150	\$ 1050	\$...
2	Barnes City	T. C. Kennedy	700	100	800	700	100	800	...
3	Beacon	A. A. Heath	625		625	625		625	...
4	Brooklyn	F. C. Edwards	1400	300	1700	1400	300	1700	...
5	Bussey	Gordon D. Cox	800	132	932	800	132	932	...
6	Cedar	Richard Collier	800	150	950	800	150	950	...
7	Deep River	Frank E. Pfoutz	800	150	950	800	150	950	...
8	Delta	L. R. Burdock	800	120	920	800	120	920	...
9	Ewart	J. J. Prichard	610	60	670	585	60	645	25
10	Fremont	George Filmer	700	120	820	700	120	820	...
11	Grinnell	Elias Handy	1700	400	2100	1700	400	2100	...
12	Harvey	C. V. Hulse	710	100	810	710	100	810	...
13	Hedrick	C. B. Hankins	1000	200	1200	1000	200	1200	...
14	Kellogg	H. C. Millice	700	100	800	700	100	800	...
15	Kilduff	J. A. Monkman	1000	150	1150	1000	150	1150	...
16	Kirkville	A. T. James	925	100	1025	866	100	966	59
17	Knoxville	G. L. Minear	1800	200	2000	1800	200	2000	...
18	Lacey	L. A. Moore	509	100	609	445	100	542	64
19	Lynnville	William A. Odell	540	85	625	540	85	625	...
20	Malcom	Walter A. Smith	850	150	1000	850	150	1000	...
21	Martinsburg	H. M. Strong				740	80	820	...
22	Montezuma	H. F. Gilbert	1200	300	1500	1200	300	1500	...
23	New Sharon	G. H. Hanawalt	1000	150	1150	1000	150	1150	...
24	Newton	W. H. Perdew	1800	300	2100	1800	300	2100	...
25	Oskaloosa	J. M. McClelland	2000	360	2360	2000	360	2360	...
26	Pella	J. C. Caughlan	1000	150	1150	1000	150	1150	...
27	Reasnor	F. S. Seeds	755	100	855	755	100	855	...
28	Rose Hill	D. W. Witham	800	100	900	716	100	816	84
29	Sigourney	F. B. Tucker	1200	200	1400	1200	200	1400	...
30	Sonora	Oscar E. McBride	1050	125	1175	1050	125	1175	...
31	Sully	A. N. Courtney	800		800	800		800	...
32	Thornburg	George Osborn	625	100	725	625	100	725	...
33	Tracy	A. Brunker	473		473	398		398	75
34	Webster	R. Vernon Pike	900	150	1050	900	150	1050	...
35	What Cheer	L. G. Rorhbaugh	1000	150	1150	1000	150	1150	...
Totals			32472	5052	37524	32905	5132	38037	307

Oskaloosa District

Number	Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Superintendents		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES		
	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Total
1	\$ 36	\$ 36	\$ 72	\$ 72	\$ 9	\$ 9	\$ 1167	\$ 450	\$ 200	\$ 650
2	28	28	56	56	7	7	891	102	60	162
3	25	25	50	50	7	7	707	160	92	252
4	56	56	112	112	18	18	1886	418	100	518
5	29	29	59	59	6	6	1026	265	175	440
6	32	32	64	64	8	8	1054	132	75	207
7	32	32	64	64	8	8	1054	122	47	169
8	32	32	64	64	8	8	1020	240	101	341
9	24	24	48	48	6	6	723	90	100	190
10	28	28	56	56	7	7	911	110	80	190
11	68	68	136	136	26	23	2327	1100	300	1400
12	28	28	56	56	7	7	901	90	42	132
13	40	40	80	80	10	10	1330	300	185	485
14	28	28	56	56	7	7	891	130	56	186
15	40	40	80	80	10	10	1280	132	174	306
16	36	35	73	71	9	9	1081	200	80	280
17	72	72	144	144	18	18	2234	900	273	1175
18	20	16	41	34	5	4	599	80	75	155
19	22	22	43	43	5	5	695	125	50	175
20	34	34	64	64	8	8	1106	125	35	160
21	28	28	56	56	7	6	914	100	80	180
22	48	48	96	96	18	18	1662	550	200	750
23	40	40	80	80	10	10	1280	250	85	335
24	72	72	144	144	24	24	2340	1000	210	1210
25	80	80	160	160	20	20	2620	1971	551	2522
26	40	40	80	80	10	10	1280	191	62	253
27	30	30	60	60	10	10	955	180	90	270
28	32	12	64	57	8	7	892	100	70	170
29	48	48	96	96	12	12	1556	240	165	405
30	42	100	84	84	10	15	1374	140	72	212
31	28	28	56	56	7	7	891	331	68	399
32	25	25	50	50	6	6	806	93	86	179
33	5	5	10	10	1	1	425	90	62	152
34	36	36	72	72	12	12	1170	300	75	375
35	37	37	70	70	10	10	1267	125	190	315
	1268	1334	2562	2592	346	352	42315	10932	4366	15298

Statistics No. 3—

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	NAMES OF PASTORS	PASTOR'S SUPPORT						Deficiency
			CLAIMS			RECEIPTS			
			Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total	
1	Agency	B. G. Hankins	\$ 1100	\$ 150	\$ 1250	\$ 1100	\$ 150	\$ 1250	\$ ---
2	Albia	W. H. Neil	1500	300	1800	1500	300	1800	---
3	Avery	W. L. Simmer	525	75	600	450	75	525	75
4	Blakesburg	James Priestnal	709	120	829	689	120	809	20
5	Bloomfield	J. E. Newsom	1200	200	1400	1200	200	1400	---
6	Buxton	C. E. Cogshall	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	---
7	Cantril	Lloyd Tennant	1000	120	1120	1003	120	1123	---
8	Centerville	J. R. Hanley	2000	350	2350	2000	350	2350	---
9	Chillicothe	G. W. Barber	700	120	820	700	120	820	---
10	Cincinnati	W. A. Worrell	750	100	850	705	100	805	45
11	Drakesville	C. C. Jones	600	100	700	597	100	697	3
12	Douds	E. C. Sandmeyer	709	60	769	709	60	769	---
13	Eddyville	W. E. Whitlock	1000	150	1150	673	150	823	327
14	Eldon	L. G. Cummins	1000	150	1150	1000	150	1150	---
15	Exline	H. W. Cannon	815	100	915	740	100	840	75
16	Farson	Alva D. Huff	750	100	850	750	100	850	---
17	Floris	Jesse Rudkin	500	50	550	376	50	426	124
18	Iconium	C. R. Young	620	120	740	541	120	661	79
19	Jerome	J. H. Krenmyre	450	100	550	464	100	564	---
20	Keosauqua	C. A. Field	900	150	1050	900	150	1050	---
21	Keosauqua Circuit	C. G. Ellis	363	---	363	400	---	400	---
22	Lovilia	J. H. Koch	900	200	1100	771	200	971	129
23	Milton	O. G. Orcutt	1400	150	1550	1400	150	1550	---
24	Moravia	P. M. Conant	1000	150	1150	1000	150	1150	---
25	Moulton	A. M. Smith	1200	200	1400	1200	200	1400	---
26	Mystic	A. B. Hightshoe	1000	200	1200	1000	200	1200	---
27	Ottumwa First	T. W. Jeffrey	2800	600	3400	2800	600	3400	---
28	" Main St.	A. B. Cadwell	1400	300	1700	1400	300	1700	---
29	" Willard St.	J. F. Robertson	1500	225	1725	1500	225	1725	---
30	" Circuit	R. A. Hall	225	---	225	225	---	225	---
31	Packwood	T. K. Holliday	860	150	1010	860	150	1010	---
32	Pulaski	J. E. Ward	835	150	985	701	150	851	134
33	Richland	J. S. Decker	900	120	1020	900	120	1020	---
34	Troy	James A. Wilson	630	60	690	630	60	690	---
35	Unionville	N. A. Orcutt	950	150	1100	860	150	1010	90
36	West Grove	W. H. Slack	885	72	957	925	72	997	---
Totals			\$34576	\$ 542	\$40018	\$33569	\$ 542	\$39011	1101

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Statistics No. 3---Recapitulation

NAMES OF DISTRICTS	NAMES DIST. SUPT'S							
Burlington	C. L. Tennant	35360	5565	40925	35245	5565	40810	161
Muscatine	J. A. Boatman	32046	4587	36633	32601	4587	37188	90
Oskaloosa	C. L. Stafford	32472	5052	37524	32905	5132	38037	307
Ottumwa	E. J. Shook	34576	5442	40018	33569	5442	39011	1101
Totals this year.		134454	20646	155100	134320	20726	155046	1659
Totals last year.		132385	19888	152273	131656	19996	151652	1358
Increase		2069	758	2827	2664	730	3394	301
Decrease								

Ottumwa District

Number	Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Superint's		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops.	CURRENT EXPENSES		
	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Total
1	\$ 44	\$ 52	\$ 88	\$ 88	\$ 11	\$ 13	\$ 1403	\$ 235	\$ 105	\$ 340
2	56	56	112	112	20	20	1988	446	258	704
3	21	21	46	40	5	5	591	70	40	110
4	28	27	56	55	8	7	898	50	100	150
5	48	48	96	96	12	12	1556	450	50	500
6	36	20	72	72	9	9	1101	114	65	179
7	40	40	80	80	10	10	1253	180	126	306
8	80	80	160	160	17	17	2607	1100	175	1275
9	28	28	56	56	7	7	911	140	45	185
10	34	34	60	60	8	8	907	175	125	300
11	24	24	48	48	6	6	775	100	70	170
12	34	34	57	57	7	7	867			
13	40	27	80	9	10	6	865	131	70	201
14	40	40	80	80	11	11	1281	150	75	225
15	32	29	65	56	8	7	932	100	40	140
16	27	27	60	60	7	7	944	46	50	96
17				15			441			
18	20	20	49	43	5	5	729	100	75	175
19	16	16	36	36	5	5	621	150	92	242
20	36	36	72	72	12	12	1170	250	100	350
21	14	14	29	29	4	4	447	32	57	89
22	35	33	72	48	12	12	1066	170	70	240
23	56	56	112	112	14	14	1732	350	65	415
24	40	40	80	80	10	10	1280	225	115	340
25	48	48	94	94	14	14	1556	300	110	410
26	40	40	80	80	10	10	1330	261	196	457
27	108	108	224	224	27	27	3759	2200	215	2415
28	56	56	112	112	14	14	1882	506	130	636
29	60	60	120	120	16	16	1921	471	272	743
30	9	9	18	18	2	2	254	10	32	42
31	34	34	69	69	8	3	1121	300	107	407
32	33	27	66	53	8	7	938	150	90	240
33	36	36	72	72	9	9	1137	103	112	215
34	25	25	50	50	6	6	771	60	44	104
35	38	34	72	68	9	9	1121	75	80	155
36	20	20	64	64	9	9	1090			
	1335	1299	2595	2588	350	345	43243	9200	3356	12556

Recapitulation

1319	1317	2471	2455	360	369	44951	9392	4716	14108
1377	1371	2203	2233	422	426	41218	8279	3778	12057
1268	1334	2562	2592	346	352	42315	10932	4366	15298
1335	1299	2595	2588	350	345	43243	9200	3356	12556
5299	5321	9831	9868	1478	1492	171727	37803	16216	54019
4969	4889	9606	9572	1718	1709	167790	35257	15114	50371
330	432	225	296	240	217	3937	2546	1104	3648

Statistics No. 4—

rebmun	NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS													
		MISSIONS						Board of Education			Br'd of S. S.		B. Con. Claim.		
		Board of Fr. Missions			B'rd H. M. & C'h Exten.			(a)	(b)	(c)	(a)	(b)	Connectional Fund.	Permanent Fund ...	
		(a) Church...	(b) Sunday S...	(c) Special Gift's	(a) Church...	(b) Sunday S...	(c) Special Gift's	(a) Church—Gen. Ed	Sunday Schools	Children's Fund.	(a) Church.....	Sunday Schools			
1	Batavia	\$ 38	\$ 12	\$...	\$ 38	\$ 12		\$ 5	\$...	\$ 10	\$ 2	\$ 11	\$...	\$...	
2	Birmingham	67	12	...	67	12									
3	Bonaparte	5													
4	Burlington First	400	191	467	400	191		10	10	33	10	17	20	19	
5	" Grace	47	43	50	47	43		6		9	2	8			
6	" Harrison Ave											9			
7	" West	21	14	27	21	14									
8	" Circuit	95			95					1	10				
9	Danville	150	30		130	30			4	12	16		1	1	
10	Donnelson	5	2		5	2						1			
11	Fairfield	160	140	20	160	140				10	30				
12	Fairfield Circuit	42	11		42	11				21	6	2			
13	Farmington	5	5		5	5				2	1	1			
14	Ft. Madison First	80	30	100	80	30				6		4			
15	" Santa Fe Ave	25	10		25	10		1		5	3			5	
16	Hillsboro	40	3		40	3				3	2				
17	Keokuk	104	96		87	96				14		11			
18	Kingston	8			8					5					
19	Libertyville	15	15		15	15		3		5		5			
20	Mediapolis	80	70		80	70				12		15			
21	Montrose	5	3		5	3				3					
22	Morning Sun	60	50		60	50				15	7	3			
23	Mt. Pleasant First	35	76	40	25	76		10		5	5				
24	" West	49			40					5	4				
25	" Circuit	109	6		101	6				12	11	2			
26	Mt. Sterling		4	145	29	4				20	13	1			
27	Mt. Union	85	15		85	15				5		3			
28	New London	47			43					8					
29	Salem	10	8		5	7				7		2			
30	Sperry	50	3		50	3						1			
31	Stockport	35	11		35	11				4	4	4	1	1	
32	Valley	7			1					3					
33	Wayland	80	20	15	80	20				5	15				
34	West Point	15	5		15	5				3	3	1	6		
35	Winfield	130	29	60	130	29				12	18	1			
36	Yarmouth	60			58					12	5				
	Totals	\$ 2164	\$ 914	\$ 924	\$ 2107	\$ 913		\$ 35	\$ 14	\$ 262	\$ 167	\$ 102	\$ 28	\$ 26	

Burlington District

(DISCIPLINARY)										OTHER BENEVOLENT COL.									
Number	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	W. H. Missionary Society		Total Disciplinary Collections				Local Educational Interests	Other Benevolent Collections	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Central Office Expenses of Epworth League	GRAND TOTAL				
				(a) Cash	(b) Supplies														
1	\$ 8	\$ 2	\$ 95	\$ 80	\$	\$ 306	\$ 20	\$ 139	\$ 159	\$	\$ 3	\$	\$	\$	468				
2	10	2	91			268		69	69						337				
3						5		7	7				4		16				
4	30	20	412	306		2536	225	239	464					6	3006				
5	12	2	253	74	39	635	120	51	171					3	809				
6							11		11						11				
7	5	2	20			133	25	28	53					1	187				
8	8	3	16			228	50	65	115						343				
9	20	5	206	69	7	681	56	51	101					1	783				
10	2					17	10	24	34						51				
11	37	8	328	216	10	1259	216	122	338					2	1599				
12	9	3				147	40	2	42						189				
13	3					27	5		5					2	34				
14	3	2	212			547	62		62						609				
15	3	2	71			160	25	17	42				5		207				
16	2	1		56	106	256		59	59						315				
17	20	5	70	121		624	80	322	402					6	1032				
18	1	1				23	1		1						24				
19	5	2	29	88	32	229		91	91		3			1	324				
20	15	5	131	88	19	585	81	340	421		2			2	1008				
21	5					24	6	31	37		5				66				
22	7	2	208	114	47	623	75	81	156					2	781				
23	10	3	512	230	17	1039	160	28	188						1227				
24	5	1				104	34	3	37						141				
25	12	3	18			280	45	36	81						361				
26	12	4	12			244	57	66	123						367				
27	2		29			239	5	29	34						273				
28	5		162			265	112	19	131						396				
29			50			89	5	18	23		2			1	115				
30	2	1				110	40	28	68						178				
31	5	3		37		151	14	4	18						169				
32						11									11				
33	12	5	45	6		303	79	76	155					8	466				
34	6	1	1	1		62	30	20	50						112				
35	20	5	130	88	47	699	89	109	198					6	903				
36	3	2				140	25	3	28						168				
\$299 \$ 95 3101										1574 \$324 \$13049	1797 2177	3974 \$ 19 \$ 44	\$17086						

Statistics No. 4.

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS												
		MISSIONS						Board of Education		Br'd of S. S.		B. Con. Claim.		
		Board of Fr. Missions			B'd H. M. & C'h Exten.			(a)	(b)	(c)	(a)	(b)	Connectional Fund.	Permanent Fund ...
		(a) Church	(b) Sunday S.	(c) Special Gifts	(a) Church	(b) Sunday S.	(c) Special Gifts	Church—Gen. Ed.	Sunday Schools.	Children's Fund.	Church	Sunday Schools.		
1	Ainsworth	\$ 100	\$ 20	\$ 45	\$ 100	\$ 20		\$ 2	\$ 8	\$ 10	\$ 5	\$		
2	Amish (Kalona)													
3	Brighton	63	12		63	12				4	1			
4	Columbus Junction	77	11		77	11					2			
5	Crawfordsville	53	9		53	9		2		3	5			
6	Grandview		8	10	2	8			5	2	1			
7	Guernsey	20	5		20	5		10	8		5			
8	Kalona	40	40		40	40		2	10		5			
9	Keota	37	150	25	45	150			20	15	7			
10	Koszta													
11	Ladora	21	5		21	5			2		2			
12	Letts	202	14		118	14				16	2			
13	Lexington	15	3		16	3			8	2	1			
14	Lone Tree	22	11	5	25	12			3	2				
15	Marengo	14	16	60	55	15			5		5			
16	Millersburg								3					
17	Muscatine First	416	34	48	398	34		14		31	7			
18	" North	49	36	20	49	36			21	8				
19	" South	10	14	5	14	15		1	5	3	2			
20	Nichols	10	10	10	10	10			5		2			
21	North English	59	28	11	59	28		6	10	2	15	1		
22	Oakville	30	4		30	4			6		6			
23	Oxford		22			22			7		1			
24	Riverside	5	5		5	5			5		2			
25	Sweetland	30	19		30	19			18		5			
26	Tiffin	39	8		39	7		2	9	5	2	4	4	
27	Victor		42			3			2		5			
28	Wapello	24	18	21	24	18			5	3	1			
29	Washington	410	90	20	410	90			20	36	4			
30	Wellman	124	46	235	124	46	200	5	10	20				
31	West Chester	53	22		53	22			15	4	14	1		
32	West Liberty	16	74	30	41	74			10	6	8			
33	Williamsburg	46	13		41	12			6	5				
34	Wilton	100	20		100	20			7	3				
	Totals	2085	817	545	2092	777	200	42	2	243	180	117	6 4	

Muscatine District

DISCIPLINARY										OTHER BENEVOLENT COL.									
Number	Freedman's Aid Society.	American Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	W. H. Miss'y Society (a) Cash	(b) Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Other Benevolent Collections	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Central Office Expenses of Epworth League	3 \$	* \$	97 \$	47 \$	50 \$	2 \$	388 \$	2 \$
1	5	2	\$110	\$14	2	388	20	99	119	1	---	488	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
2	8	4	34	50	---	111	8	31	8	---	---	231	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
3	15	2	90	---	---	211	30	61	61	---	---	219	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
4	10	3	48	---	---	332	28	27	55	6	---	401	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
5	10	1	---	---	---	200	4	4	8	2	---	255	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
6	5	1	---	---	---	37	4	4	4	---	---	47	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
7	6	2	191	---	---	79	20	46	66	---	---	84	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
8	9	5	---	---	---	185	75	50	125	---	---	251	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
9	---	---	---	---	---	645	---	---	---	---	---	774	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
10	1	1	92	---	---	38	25	49	74	5	---	137	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
11	22	4	95	---	---	484	40	269	309	1	---	794	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
12	1	2	---	---	---	143	10	3	13	6	---	162	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
13	2	2	97	---	---	85	40	151	191	---	---	278	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
14	---	---	---	---	---	549	88	1036	1104	---	---	1653	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
15	65	5	315	---	---	3	5	6	11	4	---	14	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
16	65	2	---	---	---	1657	183	482	665	---	---	2331	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
17	9	1	---	---	---	230	50	109	159	---	---	389	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
18	3	1	---	---	---	73	5	69	74	---	---	149	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
19	10	2	65	---	---	296	5	101	106	---	---	176	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
20	2	1	---	---	---	85	20	338	358	9	---	666	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
21	10	2	---	---	---	168	18	129	147	---	---	232	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
22	4	1	85	---	---	55	15	67	82	---	---	138	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
23	2	2	42	---	---	116	10	24	34	---	---	151	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
24	8	1	15	---	---	147	20	50	70	---	---	243	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
25	---	---	---	---	---	147	25	52	77	4	---	133	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
26	5	1	62	66	---	248	24	51	75	---	---	323	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
27	5	10	312	499	---	2047	250	524	774	---	---	2827	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
28	20	5	251	137	---	1242	97	141	238	15	---	1499	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
29	2	1	72	97	---	259	79	67	87	---	---	348	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
30	10	3	---	88	---	465	79	59	138	2	---	610	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
31	5	---	---	39	---	170	12	63	75	7	---	148	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
32	---	---	---	---	---	255	37	---	---	---	---	299	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
33	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
34	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
352	69	2073	1373	178	---	11135	1293	4148	5441	64	57	16997	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

Statistics No. 4—

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS													
		MISSIONS						Board of Education			Brd. of S. S.		B. Con. Claim.		
		Board of Fr Missions			B'rd H. M. & C'h Exten.			(a) Ch. Gen. Ed.	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Children's Fund	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools.	Connectional Fund.	Permanent Fund	
		(a) Church	(b) Sunday S.	(c) Special Gifts	(a) Church	(b) Sunday S.	(c) Special Gifts								
1	Attica	\$ 83	\$ 17	\$	\$ 83	\$ 17	\$		\$ 2	\$ 3	\$	\$ 1	\$		
2	Barnes City	20			20					1					
3	Beacon	39	18		39	18				6					
4	Brooklyn	122	48	80	122	48				10	2				
5	Bussey	21	30		21	30					2				
6	Cedar	52	5		37	5		4		4					
7	Deep River	32	8		31	8				7	2				
8	Delta	10	20		10	20						3			
9	Ewart	32	3		32	3		5		5	3	1			
10	Fremont	15	15		15	15				4	1	3			
11	Grinnell	190	111	55	189	111				17		20	10		
12	Harvey	10			10										
13	Hedrick	75	15		75	15				8	6	2			
14	Kellogg	56	4	95	40	4		1		15	1	1			
15	Kilduff	169	26		159	26				24	8	2	5		
16	Kirkville	22	8		30					10	1				
17	Knoxville	225	50		225	50				10	11	4			
18	Lacey	29	11		29	11				13	3				
19	Lynnville	45	14		45		10				4	2			
20	Malcom	35	10		35	10				4	3	1			
21	Martinsburg	13	2		13	2				9	1				
22	Montezuma	133	79	60	134	78				19	10			2	
23	New Sharon	30	12		30	12				6	5				
24	Newton	273	38	51	274	39				16	13		8		
25	Oskaloosa	433	232	115	30	232				20	5	5		5	
26	Pella	34	14		34	14				5	1	1			
27	Reasnor	20	15		35			2		10	2		2	3	
28	Rose Hill	3			3					2					
29	Sigourney	23	18		23	18				5		4			
30	Sonora	250	10		250	10		6		48	4	1		10	
31	Sully	40			40					12	4				
32	Thornburg	34	1		35					2	3				
33	Tracy	5			3					2	1				
34	Webster	72	18		72	18		1		6	3	4		5	
35	What Cheer	21	22		12	22		2		5		5		1	
	Totals	2666	874	456	2235	836	10	21		290	119	63	34	20	

Oskaloosa District

(DISCIPLINARY)						OTHER BENEV'LENT COL							
Number	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	W. H. Miss'y Soci'ty	W. H. Miss'y Soci'ty	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Other Benevolent Collections	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Epworth League	Central Office Expenses	GRAND TOTAL
				(a) Cash	(b) Supplies								
1	\$ 13	\$ 1	\$	\$	\$ 20	\$ 240	\$ 50	\$ 40	\$ 90	\$	\$	\$	\$ 330
2	5					46	3	11	14				60
3	10	3				133	18	2	20			1	154
4	25	10	159	123		749	100	122	222			3	974
5		1				105	15	24	39				144
6	4	1	36			152	22	37	59				211
7	3	1		1		93	30	35	65	3		1	162
8	1			44		108	5	54	59			1	168
9	6	2				92	10	64	74				166
10	5					75	17	34	51				126
11	40	10	361	337		1451	110	263	373				1824
12	2					22	7	43	50			1	73
13	12	5	42	47	32	334	50	67	117				451
14	4	1	55			277	2	111	113	3		1	394
15	20	6				445	100	321	421				866
16	1		133	27		232	8	129	137			1	370
17	30	6	61	86	46	804	177	128	305			2	1111
18	5	2				103	10	2	12				115
19	6	3				129	32	9	41	4			174
20	4	2	26			130	8	62	70				200
21	2					42	8	46	54				96
22	1	8	127	85		736	110	57	167				903
23	6	4	23	1		129	20	52	72				201
24	65	8	240	225	8	1258	200	311	511	8			1777
25	20	3	600	400	40	2140	52	207	259			1	2399
26	8	1	85	12		211	20	106	126			1	338
27	7	2		52	30	180	14	47	61			2	243
28						8							8
29	6	2	102			201	25	40	65				266
30	50	3		175	22	839	100	144	244			2	1085
31	8	3	13			120	14	37	51			1	172
32	5	2				82	15	33	48	3			133
33				1		17		20	20				37
34	7	1	4	4		211	25	25	25				236
35	6	2				97	24	21	45				142
	387	95	2067	1620	198	11991	1401	2679	4080	21	17		16109

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Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS													
		MISSIONS						Board of Education			Brd. of S. S.		B. Con. Claim.		
		Board of Fr Missions			B'rd H. M. & C'h Exten.			(a)	(b)	(c)	(a)	(b)	Connectional Fund.	Permanent Fund	
		(a)	(b)	(c)	(a)	(b)	(c)	(a) Ch. Gen. Ed.	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Children's Fund	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools.			
		Church	Sunday S.	Special Gifts	Church	Sunday S.	Special Gifts								
1	Agency	\$ 80	\$ 83	\$ 52	\$ 80	\$ 82	\$ 10	\$ 10	\$ 6	\$ 4	\$ 10	\$ 10	\$ 1		
2	Albia	254	1	1	1	1	2	1	3		1				
3	Avery	1													
4	Blakesburg	25			25						4				
5	Bloomfield	100	26		100	25			14	5	1				
6	Buxton	2	15		2	15			1						
7	Cantril	40	10		40	10					1				
8	Centerville	30	100		30	100			15		5				
9	Chillicothe	30	5		30	5				4					
10	Cincinnati	10	8		10	8			4		1				
11	Drakesville	25			25				7	1	2				
12	Douds	40	6	5	40	6			12	3	1				
13	Eddyville	10				6			5						
14	Eldon	26	19		45				1	1					
15	Exline	3	3		2	3		1		2			1		
16	Farson														
17	Floris														
18	Iconium	18	2		18	2				1	1				
19	Jerome	4	6		4	7			2		2				
20	Keosauqua	56	18		56	18		8	7			2	3		
21	Keosauqua Circuit	35			35				5		2				
22	Lovilia	30	7		30	7				5					
23	Milton	135	15		135	15			6	8					
24	Moravia	57	18		57	18			5	3	2				
25	Moulton	100	20		100	20			16		10				
26	Mystic	38	32		38	32			10		6				
27	Ottumwa First	260	140		260	140			2	20	5	20			
28	" Main St.	31	34		31	34				4	4	2			
29	" Willard St.	77	93	20	77	93		5		9	5	5			
30	" Circuit	12			12										
31	Packwood	20			20					8	2				
32	Pulaski	13	11		13	11				3		1	1		
33	Richland	40	20		40	20				5	1	2			
34	Troy	33		12	33					4	3				
35	Unionville	2	10		2	10				6		2			
36	West Grove	3							5	4					
	Totals	1640	702	90	1491	688	1	26	8	202	57	71	12	6	

Statistics No. 4---Recapitulation

NAMES OF DISTRICTS

Burlington	2164	914	924	2107	913	35	14	262	167	102	28	26
Muscatine	2085	817	545	2092	777	42	2	243	180	117	6	4
Oskaloosa	2666	874	456	2235	836	21		290	119	63	34	20
Ottumwa	1640	702	90	1491	688	26	8	202	57	71	12	6
Totals this year	8555	3307	2015	7925	3214	124	24	997	523	353	80	56
Totals last year	8500	3070	1455	8129	2936	158	34	739	503	312	191	111
Increase	55	237	560		278			258	20	41		
Decrease				204		34	10				111	55

Ottumwa District

(DISCIPLINARY)										OTHER BENEV'LENT COL									
Number	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	W. H. Miss'y Society		Total Disciplinary Collections				Local Educational Interests	Other Benevolent Collections	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Central Office Expenses Edworth League	GRAND TOTAL				
				(a) Cash	(b) Supplies														
1	\$	12	\$	2	\$	95	\$		\$	279	\$	93	\$		\$	2	\$	374	
2	30	5	370	159		1165				50	153	203		6	1374				
3						14				11		11		1	26				
4	7					61				45	37	82			143				
5	22	2	185	170		650				108	1075	1183		1	1834				
6						35				5	20	25		1	61				
7	5	2	60			173				30	42	72			245				
8	20	5	183	129	25	642				140	89	229		5	876				
9	10	2				86				30	5	35		2	123				
10		1				42				2	38	40			82				
11	8	2		13		84				34	58	92		4	180				
12	10	2	61			186				30	84	114	1	2	303				
13						21				10	38	48	9	6	84				
14	1		5			98				20	98	118			216				
15	1	1				17				5	68	73			90				
16											89	89			89				
17																			
18	7	1				50				26	33	59		2	111				
19						26				28	10	38		1	65				
20	8	5	121			302				58	64	122	4	1	429				
21	4	1				82				20		20			102				
22	4		50			138				25	5	30		2	170				
23	30	4	85	91	33	557				120	57	177			734				
24	20	3	30	47		260				63	42	105			365				
25	10			106	13	395				70		70		6	471				
26	18	4	91			269				67	39	106		3	378				
27			603	281	82	1813				250	179	429			2242				
28	15	2	108			265				72	172	244		4	513				
29	30	5	190	89	10	708				125	442	567	5	2	1282				
30						24				5		5			29				
31	3	1				54				27		27			81				
32	1	1				55				5		5			60				
33	12	2	103			245				22	223	245		1	491				
34	9	1	8			103				50	38	88			191				
35	5		21			58				5	46	51			109				
36						12					20	20			32				
302		55	2370	1085	163	8969				1651	3264	4915	19	52	13955				

Recapitulation

299	95	3101	1574	324	13049	1797	2177	3974	19	44	17086
332	69	2073	1373	178	11135	1293	4148	5441	64	57	16697
387	95	2067	1620	198	11991	1401	2679	4080	21	17	16109
302	55	2370	1085	163	8969	1651	3264	4915	19	52	13955
1320	314	9611	5652	863	45144	6142	12268	18410	123	170	63847
1615	331	9776	4802	978	43766	5645	13680	19325	836	170	64097
			850		1378	497					
295	17	165		115			1412	915	713		250

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Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	MISSIONS		BOARD OF ED.		Board of Sunday Schools	Board of Conference		Temperance Society	Freedman'd Aid Society	American Bible Society								
		Board of For. Missions	B'rd of H. M. and Ch. Ex.	General Education	Children's Fund		Connectical Fund	Permanent Fund											
Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher								
1	Batavia	\$ 50	\$ 50	\$ 5	\$ 10	\$ 2	\$ 11	\$	\$	\$ 8	\$ 2								
2	Birmingham	79	79							10									
3	Bonaparte	5																	
4	Burlington First	291	767	291	300	53		20	29	30	20								
5	Grace	70	70	20	6	33	10			12	2								
6	" Harrison Ave																		
7	" West	21	41	21	14		9			5	2								
8	" Circuit	95	95			1				8	3								
9	Danville	180		160	4	12	16	1	1	5	20								
10	Donnellson	7	7				1			2									
11	Fairfield	300	20	300		10	30		56	37	8								
12	Fairfield Circuit	53		53		21	6	2		9	3								
13	Farmington	10		10		2	2		7	3									
14	Ft. Madison	210		110		6	4			3	2								
15	" Santa Fe Ave	35		35	1	3	3	5		3	2								
16	Hillsboro	43		43		3	2			2	1								
17	Keokuk	125	75	183		14	11			20	5								
18	Kingston	8		8		5				1	1								
19	Libertyville	30		30	3	5			2	5	2								
20	Mediapolis	150		150		12	15			15	5								
21	Montrose	8		8		3				5									
22	Morning Sun	75	35	75	35	15	10			7	2								
23	Mt. Pleasant First	151		101	10		5			10	3								
24	" West	49		40		5	4		1	5	1								
25	" Circuit	115	163	107		12	13			12	3								
26	Mt. Sterling	5	145	33		20	14		38	12	4								
27	Mt. Union	100		100		5	3			2	2								
28	New London					8													
29	Salem	18		12		7	2												
30	Sperry	53		53			2			1	1								
31	Stockport	46		46		4	8	1	1	5	3								
32	Valley	7		1		3													
33	Wayland	100	15	100		5	15		19	12	5								
34	West Point	20		20		3	4	6		6	1								
35	Winfield	139	80	159		12	19		1	20	5								
36	Yarmouth	60		58		12	5			3	2								
	Totals	2708	1411	2608	369	82	159	103	237	33	22	6	36	63	22	57	293	95	2

Burlington District

		RECAPITULATION		
Number		University Pastor	Episcopal Fund	Central Office Expenses of Epw'th League
		Voucher	Cash	Cash
1	\$ 95			
2	91			
3				
4	412			
5	253			
6				
7	20			
8	16			
9	206			
10				
11	328			
12				
13	212			
14	71			
15				
16	70			
17				
18				
19	29			
20	131			
21				
22	208			
23	512			
24				
25	18			
26	12			
27	29			
28	162			
29	50			
30				
31				
32				
33	45			
34	130			
35				
36				
1	3100			
1	1897			
1633				
200				
339				
18				
10				
911				
25				
790				
1317				
10				
11				
10				
34				
358				
6				
24				
2				
9651				
9352				
19003				

Treasurer's Report---

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	MISSIONS		BOARD OF ED.		Board of Sunday Schools	Board of Conference		Temperance Society	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society
		Board of For. Missions	Brd of H. M. and Ch. Ex.	General Education	Children's Fund		Connectical Fund	Permanent Fund			
		Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher
1	Ainsworth	\$120	\$	\$120	\$	\$	\$			\$	\$
2	Amish (Kalona)	13	40	38		8				8	
3	Brighton	15	60	75		3				15	
4	Columbus Junction	88		88					1	10	
5	Crawfordsville	62		62		5				10	
6	Grandview	18		10						1	
7	Guernsey	25		25	10					5	
8	Kalona	80		80	2	10				6	
9	Keota	44	168	32		20				26	
10	Kosza	4					4				
11	Ladora	26		26		2				1	
12	Letts	216		132		18			1	22	
13	Lexington	18		19		8				1	
14	Lone Tree	33	5	37		3				2	
15	Marengo	30	60	70		5					
16	Millersburg					3					
17	Muscataine First	450	48	432	14	38				65	
18	" North	49	36	85	2	8				9	
19	" South	24	5	29	1	5				3	
20	Nichols	20	10	20		5		1		2	
21	North English	87	11	87	6	10	15			10	
22	Oakville	34		34		6			1	4	
23	Oxford	22		22		7				2	
24	Riverside	10		10		5				2	
25	Sweetland	49		49		18				4	
26	Tiffin	47		46	2	17		4		8	
27	Victor	42		3		2					
28	Wapello	42	15	42		5				5	
29	Washington	500	20	500		40				74	16
30	Wellman	170	235	170	5	10				20	
31	West Chester	75		75		15	14	1		2	
32	West Liberty		120	15		10	14			10	
33	Williamsburg	59	6	53		6			1	5	
34	Wilton	120	16	120		7				5	
	Totals	2592	855	2606	46	172	79	6	9	25	332
										26	69

Muscatine District

Number	RECAPITULATION		Total Cash and V'chr's		Total Vouchers		Total Cash		University Pastor		Episcopal Fund		Central Office Expenses of Epw'th League		General Conference Expenses		Support of Conference Claimants (Local)		Other Benevolent Collections		Iowa Conference Permanent Fund		Graham Hospital		Iowa Methodist Hospital		Local Educational Interests		Woman's Home Missionary Society		Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	
	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher		
1	\$	\$110	\$	\$	\$387	\$176	\$	\$	\$	\$3	\$19	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
2		34			119	148					8																					
3		90			219	102					12																					
4		48			282	172					13																					
5					232	80					14																					
6					79	10					8																					
7					104	5					5																					
8					266	46					15																					
9		191			272	602					16																					
10					20	14					4																					
11					132	49					11																					
12		92			505	353					16																					
13		95			113	98					12																					
14					173	186					13																					
15					244	1380					16																					
16					40	6					8																					
17		315			1340	1117					34																					
18					244	184					10																					
19					116	76					11																					
20		65			92	118					9																					
21					280	444					13																					
22					148	127					11																					
23		85			114	67					11																					
24		42			66	109					6																					
25		15			183	97					9																					
26					147	15					6																					
27					107	113					10																					
28		62			181	204					15																					
29		312			1516	1378					27																					
30		251			561	1002					16																					
31		72			237	155					11																					
32		97			93	582					5																					
33					195	69					12																					
34					352	102					13																					
	2	1976			9159	9386			3	25	430			10		44	20		5	1753	1282		40			587		1573	1269	70		

Treasurer's Report—

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	MISSIONS		BOARD OF ED.		Board of Sunday Schools	Board of Conference Clai'ts		Temperance Society	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society
		Board of For. Missions	B'rd of H. M. and Ch. Ex.	General Education	Children's Fund		Connectical Fund	Perman ent Fund			
		Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher
1	Attica	\$100	\$	\$100	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
2	Barnes City	20	20			1	1			5	1
3	Beacon	57	57			6	6			10	3
4	Brooklyn	170	80	170		12				25	10
5	Bussey	51	51			2				1	1
6	Cedar	57	42	4	4	4				3	1
7	Deep River	40	39		7	2				4	1
8	Delta	30	30			3				1	
9	Ewart	35	35	5	5	4				5	2
10	Fremont	30	30		4	4				5	2
11	Grinnell	301	55	300	17	20	10			40	10
12	Harvey	10	10							2	
13	Hedrick	90	90		8	8				12	5
14	Kellogg	60	95	44	1	2				4	
15	Kilduff	195	185		24	10	5			20	6
16	Kirkville	30	30		10	1				30	
17	Knoxville	275	275		10	15				5	6
18	Lacey	40	40		13	3					2
19	Lynnville	37								4	2
20	Malcom	45	45		4	4				2	
21	Martinsburg	15	15			9				2	
22	Montezuma	212	60	154	58	19		2	1	30	8
23	New Sharon	42	42			6				6	4
24	Newton	341	21	313		16	13	8	5	65	8
25	Oskaloosa	680	100	262		20	10	5		20	3
26	Pella	48	48		5	2	2		1	8	1
27	Reasnor	35	35		10	2	3	4	1	7	2
28	Rose Hill	3	3	2							
29	Sigourney	41	41		5	4				6	2
30	Sonora	260	260	6	48	5				50	3
31	Sully	40	40			12	4			8	3
32	Thornburg	35	35		2	2				5	2
33	Tracy	5	3			1					
34	Webster	90	90	1	6	7	1			7	1
35	What Cheer	43	34	2	5	5				6	2
	Totals	3506	468	2911	115	25	190	98	167	6	30
									11		8
										400	10
											93

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Treasurer's Report—

Number	NAMES OF CHARGES	MISSIONS		BOARD OF ED.		Board of Sunday Schools	Board of Conference		Temperance Society	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society							
		Board of For. Missions	B'd of H. M. and Ch. Ex.	General Education	Children's Fund		Connectical Fund	Permanent Fund										
Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher	Cash	Voucher							
1	Agency	\$ 80	\$ 52	\$ 80	\$ 52	\$ 6	\$ 10	\$ 10	\$ 5	\$ 12	\$ 2							
2	Albia	337	52	182	10	10	10	10	5	30	5							
3	Avery	5	6	3	3	1	1	1	1	7	1							
4	Blakesburg	25	25	25	14	14	14	14	1	22	2							
5	Bloomfield	126	125	125	14	14	14	14	1	22	2							
6	Buxton	6	11	6	11	1	1	1	1	5	2							
7	Cantril	50	50	50	5	5	5	5	5	20	5							
8	Centerville	130	130	130	15	15	15	15	1	10	2							
9	Chillicothe	35	35	35	1	1	1	1	1	1	1							
10	Cincinnati	18	18	18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1							
11	Drakesville	25	25	25	5	5	5	5	1	8	2							
12	Douds	46	5	46	12	12	12	12	1	10	2							
13	Eddyville	45	45	45	1	1	1	1	1	1	1							
14	Eldon	6	5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1							
15	Exline																	
16	Farson																	
17	Floris																	
18	Iconium	20	20	20			2			7	1							
19	Jerome	10	11	11	2	2	2			8	1							
20	Keosauqua	74	74	74	8	7	2	3	15	4	5							
21	Keosauqua Circuit	35	35	35	5	5	2		20	4	1							
22	Lovilia	37	37	37	5	5	5			30	4							
23	Milton	150	150	150	5	5	8			20	3							
24	Moravia	75	75	75	5	5	5			10	4							
25	Moulton	120	120	120	16	16	10			18	8							
26	Mystic	70	70	70	10	10	6			100	2							
27	Ottumwa First	400	400	400	22	22	25			15	30							
28	" MainSt.	65	65	65	4	4	6											
29	" WillardSt.	190	170	170	5	9	10											
30	" Circuit	12	12	12														
31	Packwood	20	20	20	8	8	2			3	1							
32	Pulaski	24	24	24	3	3	1			1	1							
33	Richland	60	60	60	5	5	3		2	12	2							
34	Troy	33	33	33	4	4	2			9	1							
35	Unionville	12	12	12	6	6	3			5								
36	West Grove	3			5	5	4											
	Totals	2154	270	2002	181	22	5	149	56	132	15	12	5	12	35	372	30	58

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RECAPITULATION		Total Cash and Vouchers	Total Vouchers	Total Cash
University Pastor	Voucher	\$340	\$142	\$482
Episcopal Fund	Cash	731	729	1460
Central Office Expenses of Epw'th League	Voucher	52	6	58
General Conference Expenses	Cash	140	37	177
Support of Conference Claimants (Local)	Voucher	502	1392	1894
Other Benevolent Collections	Cash	47	43	90
Iowa Conference Permanent Fund	Voucher	193	102	295
Graham Hospital	Cash	552	421	973
Iowa Methodist Hospital	Voucher	151	26	177
Local Educational Interests	Cash	83	41	124
Woman's Home Missionary Society	Voucher	134	78	212
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Cash	191	153	344
Number	Cash	58	50	108
	Voucher	154	98	252
	Cash	58	68	126
	Voucher	34	89	123
	Cash	101	35	136
	Voucher	72	11	83
	Cash	285	182	467
	Voucher	120	120	240
	Cash	160	134	294
	Voucher	543	266	809
	Cash	300	115	415
	Voucher	392	260	652
	Cash	299	129	428
	Voucher	1349	2966	4315
	Cash	295	288	583
	Voucher	185	1173	1358
	Cash	40	40	80
	Voucher	123	19	142
	Cash	94	321	415
	Voucher	215	121	336
	Cash	85	34	119
	Voucher	41	27	68
	Cash	8254	9556	17810

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10	Cincinnati	18		18				1	3									
11	Drakesville	25		25				5	2									
12	Douds	46	5	46				12										
13	Eddyville			6				5										
14	Eldon	45		45				1										
15	Exline	6		5		1				1								
16	Farson							2										
17	Floris																	
18	Iconium	20		20				2					7					
19	Jerome	10		11			2	2										
20	Keosauqua	74		74		8				2			8					
21	Keosauqua Circuit	35		35			5	2					4					
22	Lovilia	37		37			5	5	5				4					
23	Milton	150		150			6	8					30					
24	Moravia	75		75			5	5					20					
25	Moulton	120		120				16	10				10					
26	Mystic	70		70			10	6					18					
27	Ottumwa First	400		400			22	25					100					
28	" MainSt.	65		65				4	6				15					
29	" WillardSt.		190		170		5		10				30					
30	" Circuit	12		12														
31	Packwood	20		20			8	2					3					
32	Pulaski	24		24			3	1					1					
33	Richland	60		60			5	3					12					
34	Troy	33	12	33				3					9					
35	Unionville	12		12			6	2					5					
36	West Grove	3					5	4										
	Totals	2154	270	2002	181	22	5	149	56	132	15	12	5	12	35	372	30	58

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TREASURER'S REPORT

COLLECTIONS	Cash	Vo'ch'rs	Total	To Whom Paid
Board of Foreign Missions.....	\$ 10816	\$ 3004	\$ 13820	Homer Eaton
Special for Missionary debt.....	84	-----	84	" "
Special Mt. Pleasant Pastor, Teacher in India.....	40	-----	40	" "
Special Mrs. J. J. Williams to W. W. Williams, China.....	10	-----	10	" "
Special Epworth League Brighton to Ed. A. Brinton, Asun- cion, Paraguay.....	10	-----	10	" "
Board Home Missions and Church Extension.....	10127	1128	11255	Samuel Shaw
Board of General Education.....	175	5	180	Thomas Nichol森
Children's Day Fund.....	670	336	1006	" "
White work in the South.....	25	-----	25	" "
Board of Sunday Schools.....	791	101	892	B'd of Sun. Schools
Five per cent. Local Conference Claimants.....	261	-----	261	David G. Downey
Connectional Fund.....	70	6	76	" " "
Permanent Fund.....	52	63	115	" " "
Temperance Society.....	51	117	168	Clarence T. Wilson
Freedman's Aid Society.....	1397	66	1463	H. C. Jennings
American Bible Society.....	315	7	322	William Foulke
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.....	7	9571	9578	Mary S. Pool
Woman's Home Missionary Society.....	6	6531	6537	Mrs. L. F. Owens
Local Educational Interests.....	5905	295	6200	E. E. Lymer
Iowa Methodist Hospital.....	-----	2351	2351	
Graham Hospital.....	-----	569	569	
Iowa Conference Permanent Fund.....	43	4703	4746	J. C. Kendrick
Heating Plant I. W. C.....	44	-----	44	E. E. Lymer.
Conference Claimants, Local.....	8632	-----	8632	J. C. Kendrick
General Conference Expenses.....	78	59	137	O. P. Miller
Central Office Expenses Epworth League.....	45	113	158	W. F. Sheridan
Episcopal Fund.....	1451	28	1479	E. R. Graham
University Pastors.....	104	36	140	District Supt's
Other Benevolences.....	-----	6732	6732	
	\$41209	\$35821	\$77030	

T. S. POOL; Treasurer.

PASTORAL SUPPORT FROM CHURCHES ON CIRCUITS

Statistical Tables No. 5

BURLINGTON DISTRICT

Circuit and Pastor	Appointment	Appor'd.	Paid	Def.
Batavia	Batavia	\$ 700	675	\$ 25
O. J. Fix	County Line	200	225	
Bonaparte	Bonaparte	300	260	40
J. H. Taylor	Vernon	105	105	
	Bentonsport	20	20	
Burlington Circuit ..	Asbury	340	340	
E. A. Bentzinger	Shiloh	340	340	
	Augusta	160	160	
	Spring Grove	160	160	
Danville	Danville	850	850	
J. W. Lambert	Long Creek	250	250	
Donnellson	Donellson	315	315	
H. M. Burns	Embury	240	240	
	Dover	80	63	17
	Charleston	65	36	29
Fairfield Ct.	Pleasant Grove	295	295	
W. B. Ireland	Bethesda	175	175	
	Richwoods	165	165	
	Prairie Chapel	160	160	
	Parsonsville ..	155	155	
Farmington	Farmington	800	735	65
W. J. Hamilton	Croton		40	
	Prairie		15	
Hillsboro	Hillsboro	225	225	
C. E. Ward	Asbury	150	150	
	Utica	175	175	
	Millers Chapel	65	40	25
Kingston	Howe Chapel	150	156	
C. Bloomquist	Sand Ridge	150	150	
	Kingston		20	
Libertyville	Libertyville	675	675	
R. C. Russell	Mt. Zion	225	225	
Montrose	Montrose	500	500	
L. C. Moore	New Boston	200	200	
Mt. Pleasant Ct. ...	Pleasant Hill	334	334	
J. F. Barnett	Beulah	312	312	
	Wesley	265	265	
	Prairie Gem	161	161	
Mt. Pleasant, West..	Donaldson	150	150	
T. J. Pettit	Highland	135	137	
	Trenton	110	110	
	Oakland	90	90	
Mt. Sterling	Mt. Sterling	300	300	
W. J. Fowler	Center Chapel	325	325	
	Story Chapel	225	225	
Mt. Union	Mt. Union	500	500	
W. C. Behrens	Trinity	250	250	
	Canaan	250	250	
Salem	Salem	500	500	

BURLINGTON DISTRICT —Continued

Circuit and Pastor	Appointment	Appor'd.	Paid	Def.
Nichols	Nichols	330	330	
C. H. Montgomery	Coneville	170	170	
	Cedar Valley	200	200	
North English	North English	800	800	
H. W. Munster	Yankee Point	200	200	
Oakville	Oakville	250	250	
H. E. Butler	Huron	250	250	
	Toolsboro	300	300	
Riverside	Riverside	400	400	
W. J. Scott	Richmond	50	52	
	Snider Fund	300	300	
Sweetland	Sweetland	369	369	
W. E. Berg	Moscow	121	121	
	North Prairie	121	121	
	Pleasant Prairie	93	93	
Tiffin	Tiffin		358	
C. B. Isaac	North Liberty		301	
Wapello	Wapello	1000	1000	
E. C. Brooks	Bethel	150	150	
West Chester	West Chester	625	625	
Thomas Rowe	Bethel	200	200	

MUSCATINE DISTRICT

Circuit and Pastor	Appointment	Appor'd.	Paid	Def.
Attica	Zion	220	220	
H. F. Bohn	Beulah	140	140	
	Eldorado	180	180	
	Indiana	120	120	
	Attica	100	100	
	Everist	40	40	
	Washington	100	100	
Barnes City	Barnes City	300	300	
T. C. Kennedy	Beulah Chapel	250	250	
	Bethel Grove	150	150	
Beacon	Beacon	350	350	
A. A. Heath	Given	125	125	
	Evans	100	100	
	Riverside	50	50	
Bussey	Bussey	450	450	
G. D. Cox	Hamilton	123	123	
	Marysville	95	95	
	Eden	132	132	
Cedar	Cedar	445	445	
R. Collier	Fairview	105	105	
	White Oak	125	125	
	Wright	125	125	
Ewart	Ewart	350	350	
J. J. Pritchard	Blue Point	125	100	25
	Searsboro	135	135	
Fremont	Fremont	550	550	
Geo. Filmer	Russell Chapel	150	150	
Harvey	Harvey	425	425	
C. V. Hulse	Asbury	200	200	
	Flagler	85	85	

MUSCATINE DISTRICT—Continued

Circuit and Pastor	Appointment	Appor'd.	Paid	Def.
H. C. Druse	Wesley	125	125	
	Cottonwood	125	125	
Sperry	Sperry	350	350	
J. W. Stine	Franklin Mills	190	190	
	Tamatown	260	260	
Stockport	Stockport	500	505	
E. S. Hehner	Glasgow	200	200	
	Union	100	98	2
	Winchester	100	100	
Valley	Valley	128	128	
H. O. Hendrickson	Prairie Chapel	82	42	40
Wayland	Wayland	450	450	
J. W. Carson	Finley	265	265	
	Center	85	85	
	Eureka	100	90	10
	Snider Fund	125	125	
West Point	West Point	100	100	
S. F. Bishop	Pitman Chapel	170	170	
	Clay Grove	230	230	
	Pleasant Ridge	100	100	
Yarmouth	Yarmouth	450	450	
A. L. Jordan	Marsh	400	400	

OSKALOOSA DISTRICT

Circuit and Pastor	Appointment	Appor'd.	Paid	Def.
Columbus Junction..	Columbus Junction ..	700	700	
A. W. McBlain	Columbus City	200	255	
	Fredonia	100	80	20
Crawfordsville	Crawfordsville	734	734	
N. A. Swickard	Wyman	333	333	
Guernsey	Guernsey	400	360	40
Wm. Zabilka	Harmony	150	100	50
Kalona	Kalona	550	550	
W. S. Moore	Hummer	362	362	
	Sharon	238	238	
Keota	Keota	1150	1150	
H. B. Scoles	Harper	50	50	
Ladora	Ladora	700	700	
R. T. Richards	Zion	125	125	
Lexington	Lexington	400	400	
A. H. Barker	Zion Centre	400	400	
	Pilotsburg	125	125	
Lone Tree	Lone Tree	820	820	
J. P. Hehner	River Junction	180	180	
Millersburg	Millersburg	300	300	
C. L. Jordan	Hope Chapel	300	300	
Muscatine, North ...	High Prairie	250	250	
Edw. Stodghill	Park Ave.	250	250	
	Spangler	225	225	
	First Church Aid	100	100	
Muscatine, South ...	Musser ville	500	500	
G. P. Badgley	Island	300	300	

OSKALOOSA DISTRICT—Continued

Circuit and Pastor	Appointment	Appor'd.	Paid	Def.
Kellogg	Kellogg	350	350	
H. C. Millice	Rushville	350	350	
Kilduff	Kilduff	300	300	
J. A. Monkman	Pleasant View	285	285	
	Mt. Zion	285	285	
	Grace	130	130	
Kirkville	Kirkville	675	616	59
A. T. James	Salem	250	250	
Knoxville	Knoxville	1500	1500	
G. L. Minear	Eden	300	300	
Lacey	Lacey	325	261	64
L. A. Moore	Fairview	169	169	
	Centenary	15	15	
Lynville	Lynville	240	240	
W. A. Odell	Bethel	300	300	
Martinsburg	Martinsburg	260	260	
H. M. Strong	Mt. Zion	190	190	
	Pekin	290	290	
Reasnor	Reasoner	350	350	
F. S. Seeds	Tools Chapel	350	350	
	Galesburg	55	55	
Rose Hill	Rose Hill	440	440	
D. W. Witham	Indianapolis	240	156	84
	Spring Valley	120	120	
Sonora	Sonora	383	383	
O. E. McBride	Sheridan	383	384	
	Madison	284	284	
Sully	Sully	400	400	
A. N. Courtney	Taintor	250	250	
	Peoria	150	150	
Thornburg	Thornburg	305	305	
Geo. A. Osborn	Tilton	180	180	
	Coal Creek	140	140	
Tracey	Tracey	260	260	
T. A. Bruner	Bethel	75	7	68
	McClintock	88	81	7
	Salem	50	50	
Webster	Webster	300	300	
R. V. Pike	South English	250	250	
	Kinross	125	125	
	Keswick	225	225	

OTTUMWA DISTRICT

Circuit and Pastor	Appointment	Appor'd.	Paid	Def.
Avery	Avery	300	300	
L. Simmer	Lockman	75	75	
	Melrose	200	150	50
Blakesburg	Blakesburg	230	230	
Jas. Priestnal	Christiansburg	300	300	
	Prairie Chapel	138	118	20
	Miller Ridge	41	41	

OTTUMWA DISTRICT—Continued

Circuit and Pastor	Appointment	Appor'd.	Paid	Def.
Cantril	Cantril	500	503	
Lloyd Tennant	Lebanon	285	285	
	Upton	115	115	
	Home Prairie	100	100	
Chillicothe	Chillicothe	350	350	
G. W. Barber	Columbia	350	350	
Cincinnati	Cincinnati	265	265	
J. A. Worrell	Numa	230	185	45
	Simpson Chapel	255	255	
Drakesville	Drakesville	295	295	
C. C. Jones	Ash Grove	195	195	
	Elm Grove	60	57	3
	Midway	50	50	
Douds	Selma	105	105	
E. C. Sandmeyer	Mt. Moriah	190	190	
	Douds	177	177	
	Leando	119	119	
	Zion	118	118	
Eddyville	Eddyville	675	452	223
W. E. Whitlock	Hayden	225	161	64
Eldon	Eldon	666	666	
L. G. Cummins	Ashland	334	334	
Exline	Exline	350	350	
H. W. Cannon	Wesley	225	225	
	Salem	75	68	7
	Zoar	85	40	45
	Sharon	80	57	23
Iconium	Iconium	300	256	44
C. R. Young	Hilton	160	160	
	Fairview	160	125	35
Jerome	Jerome	350	356	
J. H. Krenmyre	Plano		108	
Keosauqua Ct.	Pittsburg	200	237	
C. G. Ellis	Kilbourne	163	163	
Moravia	Moravia	715	715	
P. M. Conant	Wesley Chapel	285	285	
Pulaski	Pulaski	577	443	134
J. E. Ward	Stiles	150	150	
	Round Grove	108	108	
Richland	Richland	800	800	
J. S. Decker	McDowell	100	100	
Troy	Troy	235	235	
J. A. Wilson	Bethel	170	170	
	Oak Hill	70	70	
	Starr	110	110	
	Wesley	45	45	
Unionville	Unionville	725	725	
N. A. Orcutt	Pella	125	100	25
	Salem	100	35	65
West Grove	West Grove	100	100	
W. H. Slack	Bethel	185	185	
	Wesley Chapel	225	265	
	Udel	175	175	
	Beulah	200	200	

PROCEEDINGS OF THE LAYMEN'S ASSOCIATION HELD AT NEWTON, IOWA, SEPT. 6-7, 1912

The Fourth Annual Convention of the Laymen's Association of the Iowa Conference met in the First Presbyterian Church, Newton, Iowa, Sept. 6th, 1912 at 1:30 p. m.

The Association was called to order by President Chas. H. Keck. A hymn was sung and prayer offered by several members.

Opening remarks by Pres. Keck.

Paper—"The Church in Social Service," by Dr. H. W. Harmer, Burlington.

Paper—"What Has the Men and Religion Forward Movement Done for our Community," Chas. H. Keck, Washington.

Both papers were discussed at length, and the time for adjournment having arrived, the following committees were appointed:

CREDENTIALS AND ENROLLMENT—H. W. Harmer, Mrs. Blanche Brewer, A. R. Crawley, Mrs. Cora E. Colony.

RESOLUTIONS—W. S. Mitchell, C. F. Randall, T. P. Bence, Dr. Doty.

NOMINATIONS—J. K. Latta, John Bradley, Alfred Nelson, W. D. Ridenour.

Saturday, Sept. 7th, 9 a. m.

Devotionals led by Jay H. Sawtelle.

At the request of the Annual Conference a committee consisting of J. W. Neasham, J. M. Beck and H. W. Harmer was appointed to meet a like committee from that body to arrange some plan of entertainment for the annual meetings of the same.

Paper—"The Rural Church, What of It?"—T. H. Buchanan, Grinnell.

Paper—"Every Member Canvass—Evangelistic," J. M. Beck, Centerville.

Discussion of these papers followed.

Afternoon Session.

S. A. Power, who was to have had a paper on "Every Member Canvass—Financial" being absent, W. S. Mitchell was requested to open discussion on the subject, followed by others.

Paper—"Church Advertising," J. Kirk Latta.

A collection was taken amounting to \$25.40 to defray expenses of meeting. On motion the question of printing the Association minutes was referred to the President and Sec'y.

Revs. H. A. Ingham and H. F. Gilbert are introduced, bringing greetings from the Annual Conference.

Committee on Nominations reported as follows, which was on motion adopted:

Your Committee on Nominations would recommend the election of the following officers for the ensuing year:

President, S. A. Power, Fairfield.

Vice Presidents—H. W. Van Dyke, Winfield; R. C. Wagner, West Liberty; John Moler, Montezuma; C. V. Smith, Albia.

Secretary, A. N. Jarvis, Burlington, Iowa.

Treasurer—Mrs. Blanche Brewer, Givin, Iowa.

J. K. LATTA,
JOHN BRADLEY,
ALFRED NELSON,
W. D. RIDENOUR,
Committee.

Committee on Resolutions reported the following resolutions, which were on motion adopted:

Be it resolved by the Laymen's Association of the Iowa Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church in its Fourth Annual session.

1st. Having read the resolutions adopted by this Association at its meetings in 1909, 1910 and 1911, we congratulate the Association on its splendid judgment in expressing its views on the important matters considered in its resolutions and rejoice in their wisdom and reaffirm them heartily and commend their fulfillment.

2nd. Having heard the discussion on the subject, "The Church in Social Service" at this session, we cheerfully commend the sentiment expressed by the Association, to scrupulously observe and obey the discipline of our Church as laid down in rule 260 by the last General Conference, and use our best endeavors to see said rule duly executed, and that the social entertainment of our young people be imbued with the Spirit of God and pleasure calculated to upbuild a Christian home and inspire all to a higher purpose of living.

3rd. That we express our deep concern for the Rural Church and recommend that we do not neglect our duty to lend every aid possible to maintain the Church and create a religious atmosphere in the rural district. To this end, we recommend the preaching of the gospel in every country church each Sunday if possible, and the maintaining a Sunday School, and if regular preaching service cannot be maintained, we urge that Sunday Schools be held and if it is not practical to maintain a Methodist Sunday School, try and attend some Sunday School each Sunday.

4th. That a time for hearing representatives from the Conference be at a stated hour, set by the President and Secretary of our Association, so that our proceedings may assume a regular form and be free from interruptions, and that the Conference Secretary be given timely notice of the hour.

5th. That we acknowledge with deep gratitude the greetings of the Iowa Conference and assure them our appreciation of their recognition of our efforts to help in the promotion of the Kingdom of God.

6th. That we express our thanks to the people of Newton, Iowa, for the kind and hospitable manner in which we have been entertained and especially do we express our deep gratitude to the Presbyterians for the use of their church, commodious, convenient and clean, in which to hold our meetings.

Signed W. S. MITCHELL,
T. P. BENCE,
C. F. RANDALL,
Dr. DOTY,
Committee.

Moved and seconded that the executive committee arrange for a stenographic report of the proceedings of our meeting next year, if it can be done at not too great expense. Adopted.

On motion a rising vote of thanks was given to retiring President Keck.

The Committee on Enrollment reported the following in attendance.

Burlington District.

Batavia—A. G. Lee.

Burlington, First—W. S. Mitchell, J. H. Sawtelle.

Burlington, Grace—H. W. Harmer, A. N. Jarvis.

Fairfield—E. C. Davis.
Kingston—J. M. Eggers.
Libertyville—P. H. Heston.
Morning Sun—J. Kirk Latta.
New London—H. L. McGrew.
Wayland—Lincoln Noble, P. F. Wenger.
Winfield—H. W. Van Dyke.

Muscatine District.

Brighton—A. J. Johnson.
Guernsey—J. W. Taylor.
Letts—A. W. Schwietert.
Muscatine, North—Ed. Will, A. J. Altekruise.
Tiffin—Mrs. Cora E. Colony.
Wapello—R. W. Newell.
Washington—C. H. Keck.
Wellman—Suzanna Gardner.
West Liberty—R. C. Wagner, W. D. Ridenour.

Oskaloosa District.

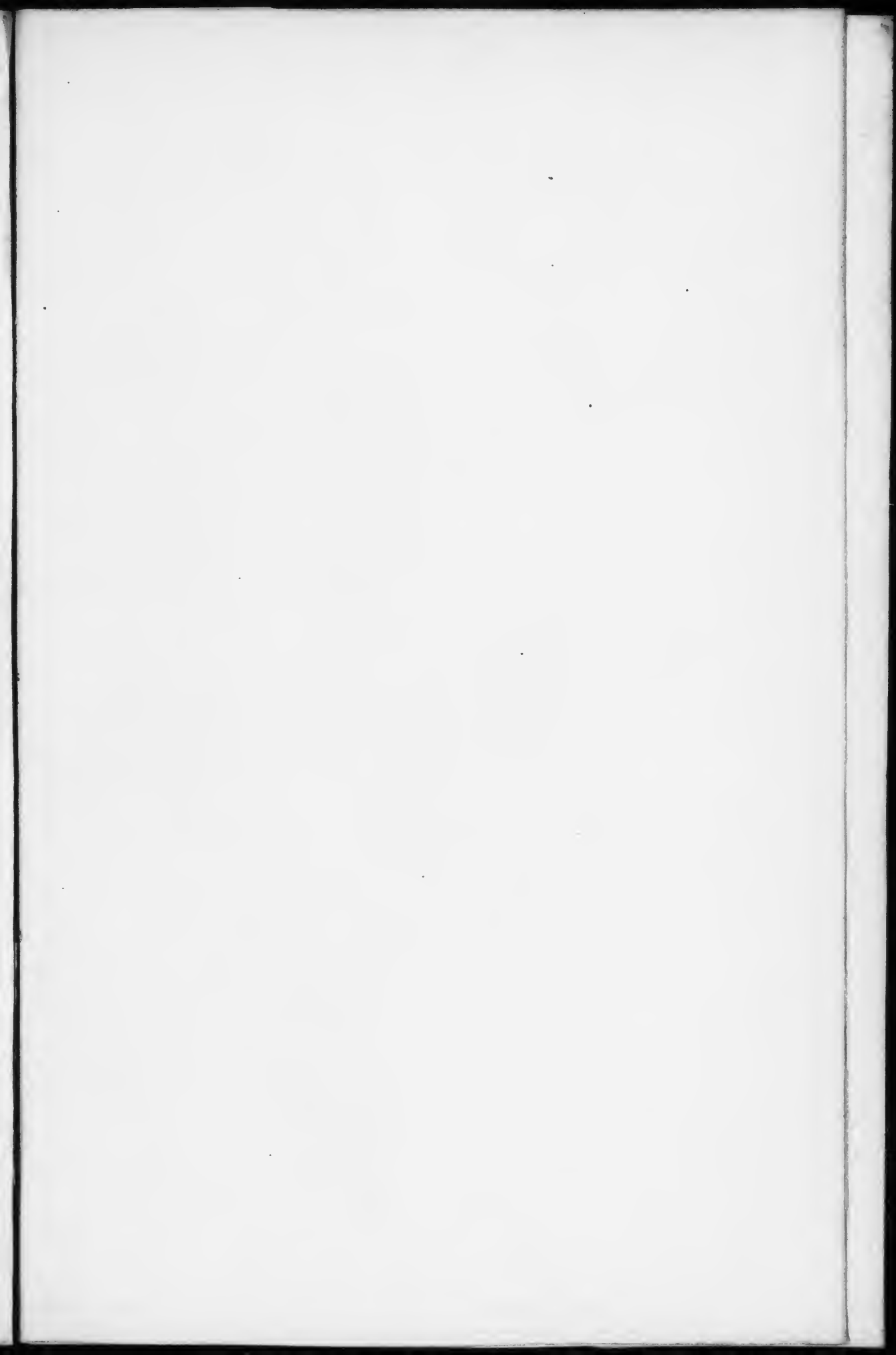
Beacon—G. H. Sowden, Mrs. Blanche Brewer.
Brooklyn—Gus Johnson.
Grinnell—T. H. Buchanan.
Kilduff—Ray Livingstone, E. E. Doane.
Knoxville—J. S. Bellamy.
Lacey—J. R. Russell.
Montezuma—John Bradley, John Moler.
New Sharon—F. E. Graham, Mrs. J. S. Dryden.
Newton—Ray C. Livingstone, J. W. Arnold.
Oskaloosa—Vista J. Baker, J. B. McCurdy.
Reasnor—T. J. Danks.
Sonora—C. F. Randall.
Sully—I. W. Case, G. M. Garner.

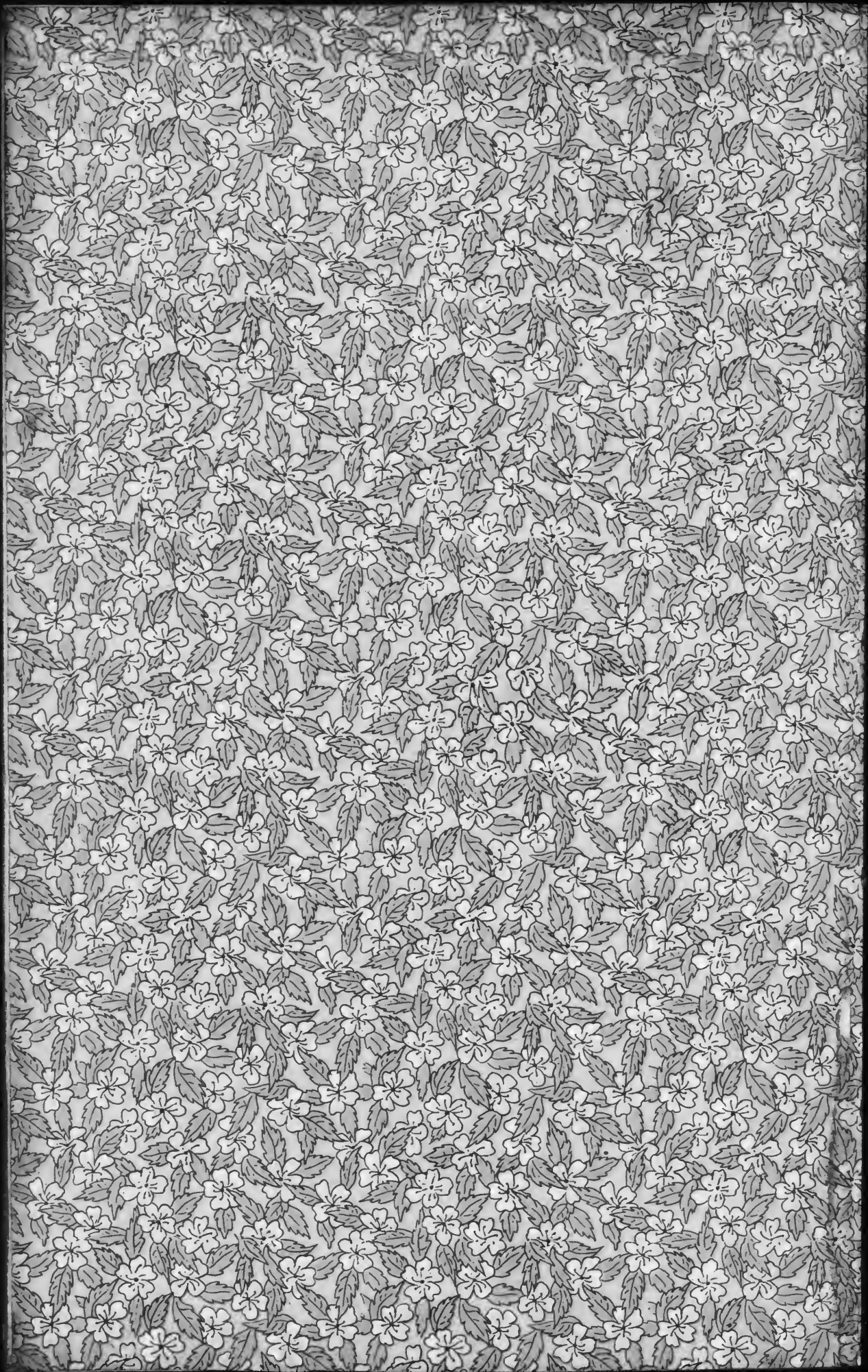
Ottumwa District.

Albia—W. F. Ritchie, Alfred Nelson.
Bloomfield—T. P. Bence.
Centerville—J. M. Beck, Wesley G. Reese.
Chillicothe—J. R. Stodghill.
Drakeville—W. R. Clarkson.
Exline—W. F. Fisk, John Daniels.
Lovilia—C. H. Clark.
Ottumwa First—J. W. Neasham.
Ottumwa, Main—Chris. Haw.
Unionville—A. R. Crawley.

On motion the Association stood adjourned.

A. N. JARVIS, Secretary.





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